

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy and cold.  
Thursday; Friday, cloudy.

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# THE LOWELL SUN

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LOWELL MASS. THURSDAY JANUARY 1 1914

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# Sanguinary Battle in Mexico

## HEROIC FIGHTS AGAINST DISEASE

The Public Health Service Did Remarkable Work — 39,000 Indians Examined

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Uncle Sam's health patrol is holding its breath on New Year's day in anticipation of the biggest year's work it has ever undertaken. The sanitary work in the last twelve months which was prepared in the headquarters of the "public" health service here makes a record of heroic efforts against disease. A record of heroic efforts against disease.

Trained experts working under the directions of Surgeon General Rupert Blue and Assistant Surgeon General Tucker have during the last year covered every nook and corner of the country, routing out unknown diseases, leading up infected places, teaching communities and individuals how to guard against disease and protecting the American public from vast diseased immigrants, the "public" service's disease, which often carried along, infectious rats at polluted drinking water.

From the mountains of Kentucky, where the health inspectors and dispensers are taking the mountain people home, to the pellagra to the waterfronts of Boston, Chicago and Seattle, where the experts, helping state authorities, are fighting to prevent the carrying of germs by rats and mites, the "public" health service has pushed into all the states and improved sanitary conditions and

improved medical officers to meet the situation.

## THOMAS H. LAWLER DIES SUDDENLY

Victim of apoplexy in sudden attack last evening.

Sketch of His Career in Business—Popular Young Man



LATE THOMAS H. LAWLER.

The business community of Lowell was shocked to hear this morning that Mr. Thomas H. Lawler, well-known and popular business man, had passed away suddenly last evening after a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Lawler had not enjoyed perfect health for many years past, but he kept about his business in the usual manner, and his untimely death has come as a shock to his friends. He was 45 years old.

On Christmas day Mr. Lawler came ill with an attack of the grippe, but he attended to it promptly and with assiduous medical attention he recovered quickly. The fatal stroke of apoplexy came last evening at 8 o'clock, and he died at 11:16. The sympathy of the community goes out to his wife and family in their bereavement.

Thomas H. Lawler was born in this city Jan. 28, 1868, and was the son of William and Bridget (Egan) Lawler. He was educated in the public schools and graduated from the high school in 1884. His parents were among the oldest citizens, having come here in 1849, and the late Mr. Lawler has always lived here.

After graduating from the high school he entered the employ of William J. Coughlin, a stationer and bookseller, at 3 Central street, and on Mr. Coughlin's retirement, Mr. Lawler worked for the firm of Taylor Brothers whom he went to J. Merrill & Son. He started in business on his own account in May, 1891.

Although for the past few months Mr. Lawler was engaged in the real estate business, having purchased the business of W. M. Potter & Son, it was a stationer and bookseller at 73 Merrimack street and 15 John street where he became best known. This store has been his store for about 10 years, but when Mr. Lawler took possession he made many improvements and conducted the place in the most modern and scientific manner. In connection with his stationery business, he conducted a printing establishment

which he sold in 1905.

HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA pos-

sesses the secret of the

best vegetable remedy pre-

scribed by the best physicians.

That its formula is now won-

derfully potent is shown by its

record of great success for your

blood medicine.

## WORST CONFLICT OF REVOLUTION

Soldiers With Shattered Arms and Legs Shot Off, Struggled Through River and Pleaded to Americans for Help — Fighting Continues at Ojinaga — Many Killed

PRESIDIO, Texas, Jan. 1.—The battle at Ojinaga, Mexico, between the northern division of the federal army and rebels continued this morning after having been in progress all night. Five or six hundred federales had already been killed and the wounded will be in excess of that number.

Horrifying sights were witnessed on the American side before daylight. The wounded soldiers with shattered arms and legs shot off, and injuries that later proved fatal, struggled through the river and pleaded to the American soldiers for help.

All the physicians and medical supplies available here were placed at the

service of the disabled federales. Before daylight more than 200 wounded had sought relief on this side. Some of these were so badly injured that they begged the American soldiers to kill them.

From the war scarred little village of Ojinaga back a mile from the river came what appeared to be an endless tide of wounded. The fight on the north side here had the appearance of being the most sanguinary conflict of the present revolution.

Federal deserters also came to the river in numbers indicating that the bulk of Huerta's army was disposed to give up. All the deserters who were not wounded, however, were disarmed

and sent back by Major McNamee, commanding the United States border patrol. Major McNamee has more than 300 guns which he took from deserters. During the night the groaning of the wounded on the battlefield on the opposite side of the river could be heard by the American cavalrymen. The firing in the darkness seemed to be heavier than it had yet been.

All women, children and non-combatants of Ojinaga came to the river and were taken to the American side.

The little Red Cross headquarters on this side where the federal wounded are being cared for now is as active as a field hospital on a battlefield.

### CHELMSFORD

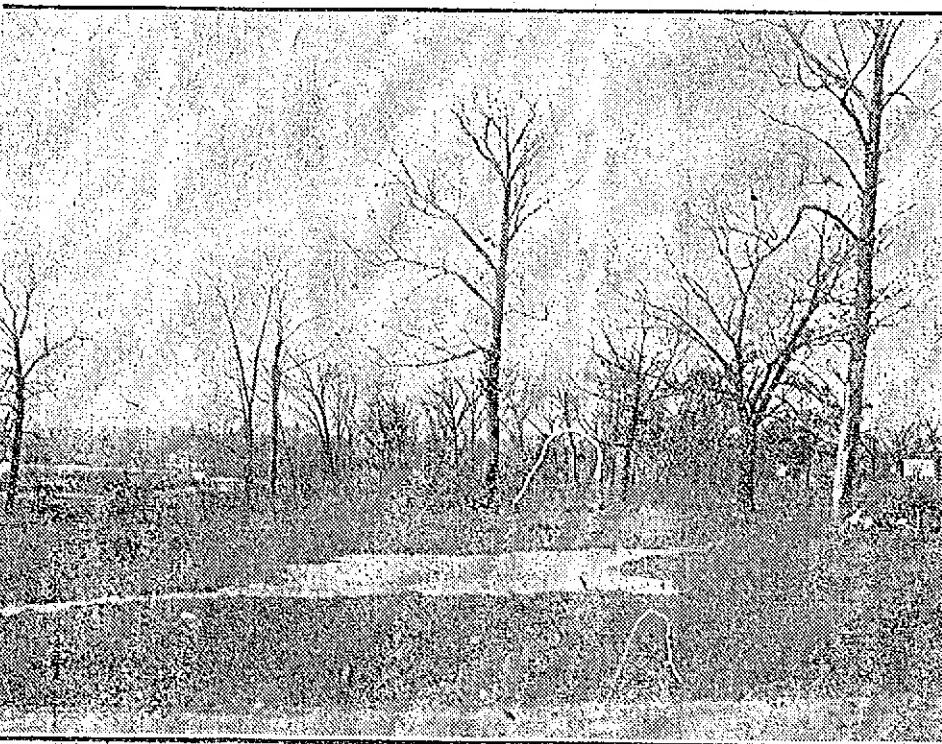
The members of the O. K. club and a good number of their friends ushered in the new year in a very appropriate manner at a New Year's ball held at the town hall, last evening. An enjoyable program of popular selections was rendered by Gray's orchestra,

and all present took part in a dance of more than 20 numbers. Refreshments were served during a brief intermission, and dancing was continued until 1 o'clock.

Adelbert Ames, president of the club, was general manager, while Elmer R. Hill was floor director, and Leo Jones, Sidney Dupee and Banford Liddy ably assisted the manager. Misses Mabel Palgrave, Marjorie Armstrong, Catherine Green, Pansy Jones, Miriam Warren and Blanche Spaulding, young women members of the club, assisted in the refreshment room.

A general good time was enjoyed and the merry gathering dispersed at a late hour.

## WEST CENTRALVILLE LAND PURCHASED FOR PARK PURPOSES BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL FOR \$33,000



THE WEST CENTRALVILLE PARK LAND.

The park and playground, long prayed for by the people of West Centralville are on the stocks, so to speak, for the municipal council at a meeting held last night voted and adopted the order to borrow \$33,000 for the purchase of land for that purpose. The vote of the council to purchase the land from the Leeks and Caudels was unanimous. The land is assessed for \$31,000 and the price to be paid is about \$100 more than the assessed valuation.

Mr. Brown said he thought it would be a good idea to refer the matter to the courts. He moved as an amendment to the original order, that the matter be carried forward to the government of 1914. His motion was not seconded. Mr. Brown wanted it thoroughly understood, however, that he was sincerely in favor of a park and playground in the West Centralville

section, he spoke of criticism already aimed at the municipal council for entertaining the idea of buying a "quintuplet" and he expected there would be more criticism but he believed the people of West Centralville were just as much entitled to a playground as were the people of any other section of the city.

"Mr. Brown's reference to criticism from certain quarters relative to the purchase of the land in question, involved Mayor O'Donnell to say a word, and this is what he said:

"Men holding public office must expect to be criticized, and maligned, when much criticism is wholly unjust and comes from those who have not looked into matters. Therefore I am going to vote for this order, regardless of what criticism of my action may come from it. I have had so much criticism offered that I

am now quite impervious to it. I feel that a park and a playground are badly needed in that part of the city."

"So much criticism has been offered by those who have never investigated or who have had other purposes for making criticism that I do not care what may be said about my action in voting to borrow this money. I believe I am right and have no apologies to offer for this or any other act of mine during my administration."

The clerk then read the roll and the order was adopted unanimously.

An order transferring \$1700 from the balance left by previous departments to the street department, was passed.

The balances transferred were as follows: Messengers' department, \$50; buildings department, \$25; health department, \$250; law department, \$30; charity hospital, \$50; police, \$1000;

relief, \$250; and state aid, \$1000.

## First Edition

FOR LATER LOCAL AND TELEGRAPH NEWS AND TODAY'S STOCK MARKET REPORT SEE LATER EDITIONS

## YOUNG BURGLAR IN POLICE COURT

Armand Guenard Arrested for Entering Store on Aiken Street Christmas Morning

With the capture of Armand Guenard, several of the stolen articles were found on him at the time of his arrest. Guenard admitted that he broke into the store early Christmas morning and said that he gained an entrance by means of a skeleton key.

A large number of expensive shirts, several of which were silk, a half dozen caps, cuff and collar buttons, and a large quantity of neckties were missing when Mr. Boucher opened up his store on Friday morning following the break. A cap, two shirts, three neckties and a set of sleeve buttons were found in Guenard's possession when he was taken into custody.

The prisoner confessed to also taking \$12 in cash from the register but said that he had spent it and also pawned the remainder of the stolen merchandise and spent the money received. He will be held for Friday's juvenile session and charged with breaking, entering and larceny.

The boy made no defense whatsoever as indeed he could scarcely do as

"The state universities and other higher educational institutions under government control should be made far more largely than at present missionary strongholds," said the report. "Each should furnish an increased number of missionaries."

"Christianity never before has had such a combination of opportunities among both primitive and cultured races of the Far East and Near East. There is so much to do in the non-Christian world today that the task cannot be accomplished save by a vast enlargement of native Christian forces."

Miner's Associate, Friday.

A Happy New Year

It is many ways identical to an "Electrical New Year."

Electric light is a cheerful light—

It fills the home with cheerful power—

Electric power is peaceful power—

It's reliability and economy keep manufacturers happy—

Lowell Electric Light Corp.,

50 Central Street

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

There will be a meeting this evening at 8 o'clock to take action on the death of our late brother, Thomas H.

WILLIAM H. THORNTON, G. K.

Knights of Columbus members this evening will be meeting to take action on the death of our late brother, Thomas H.

WALTER L. HICKEY, G. K.

## Lowell People

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## Athletes and Athletics

The many friends of Henry Bailey, last year's captain of the high school track team and all-around athlete, will be greatly disappointed to learn that he has been forced out of athletics for the remainder of the year at least by an injury to his arches. The physicians are not certain yet as to the nature of the injury but have warned Henry to keep out of track athletics this winter.

The best road lawyers in the country are at a loss as to the respective standings of player and club owner. The counsel for the Federal league has announced that if the two major organizations try to expel any of their players that he will prosecute them criminally under the Sherman anti-trust law. On the other hand Dan Johnson is delighted at the thought of a battle with the Federals. If you believe us you'll bet on Dan Johnson not to be last in any race he ever enters.

Frank Klaus until his recent decisive defeat by George Chip, middle-weight champion of the world, retires from the ring in a position of independence. Klaus unless he throws his savings away, will never have to work again. His manager claims that the Dutchman has banked well over \$100,000 in his ring career. Klaus has the reputation of being a square boxer and has always been on the level with the promoters.

Dan Clehey has announced that he will surely give Haverhill a ball club next season. The only possible obstacle which could have stood in the way seems to have been cleared up for Dan asserts with vehemence that he has at last secured suitable grounds for his club. The Haverhill baseball association which owns the old grounds will be the big loser if the new park is erected.

By the same token baseball affairs in Lynn are not at all what they were a year ago. To begin with last year's aggregation did not turn as high as the papers and public thought for and in the second place their park is likely to be sold. If the latter event really goes through the owners will be in a bad way for Ocean Park is the only enclosed diamond where organized baseball could be played in Lynn.

K. O. Sweeney added another victory to his long New England life by defeating Battling Terry of Brooklyn in Mariaville. R. J. Terry was all but gone in the seventh round when the referee stopped the bout. One of the first New England fights that Sweeney

**CONCORD LEAGUE:**  
Brownies Win From Arlington in Only Contest—Martin Wins High Man Last Night

The Brownies had an easy time last night with the Arlingtons in their Concord league match on the Y. M. C. L. alleys taking two out of the three strings and winning the game by the

score of 123 to 122. Martin of the winning team was high man with 282 for a total and 103 for a single. The score:

Arlingtons: Ning, 226; Hamilton, 255; Devine, 256; Pope, 266; Moran, 270; totals, 1272.  
Brownies: T. Clark, 273; Martin, 282; Smith, 263; Connean, 250; Murphy, 225; totals, 1223.

Fred Clarke, the great captain-manager of the Pittsburgh National baseball team, has signed his twenty-first consecutive contract with the Pirate team. This is the record for continuous service with a single big league team, and yet Clarke played the game last year with all the vim that one

could expect of a youngster. Clarke isn't worrying about discovering the fountain of youth. He doesn't have to.

**T. M. C. A. SOCIAL:**

A well enjoyed social under the auspices of the high school committee was held at the Y. M. C. A. last evening and the affair was well attended. The program of music, dramatics and com-

edy games proved a big success.

The musical and dramatic efforts were produced by Paul T. Savage, violinist; Grace Kendrik, soloist; Marjorie Arnold, reader, and Edward Dills, pianist. Every number rendered by these entertainers was heartily appreciated by those present.

Charles Barton and Edward Leadbetter in "The Indescribable Plumb" gave their audience a hearty laugh by their immobility of countenance during

their part of the program. Walter French and Alfred Fletcher were the winners of the amusing needle threading contest.

Hugo Marland won the under water contest. In the swimming pool and exhibitions in aquatics were given by Charles Barton, Guy McLeod, John Merritt, Merrill Morris and Donald Fletcher. Moving pictures under the management of Ernest Orrell were the

closing feature of the program.

The committee in charge of the successful affair were as follows: Guy McLeod, chairman; Emil Hartford, president; Jefferson Mansfield, Merrill Morris and Raymond Leland. The patrons of the evening were E. A. Bowen, president of the association, Miss Alice Stickney and Miss Alice Richardson.

**NEW DRUG LAW:**

All Pharmacists in State Must be Licensed—New Rules

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—With the starting of the new year, the state board of pharmacy will enforce some new regulations for the protection of the public at large. An act passed at the last session of the legislature and inserted in chapter 165 makes it compulsory for a store whenever a prescription or a drug of dangerous character is sold.

Besides this, all drug stores must be licensed and have the license posted in the store; all drug stores are to be subject to inspection, and any violation of the new rules of the state board may subject the druggist, if convicted, to a fine not to exceed \$1000.

A great many druggists are under the impression that the new law, which takes effect today, forces them to shut up shop at such times as, being obliged to go out for them, they have no registered drug clerk in their employ.

So far as carrying on any drug business is concerned, it is true, but the registered druggist, proprietor or employee, in keeping an unregistered man to take care of the store until his return, is allowed to have his store sell such articles as would be sold in a grocery or any other store.

Massachusetts is the only New England state to enforce the licensing system, it is object according to Mr. Bissell, & to furnish the board with a great deal more information than it has heretofore been able to get. The application blank obliges the parties who operate the drug store to state its owner, whether it is a partnership, when the partnership was formed and the names of the registered and unregistered clerks. It calls attention to the fact that no unregistered partner of a store shall be actively engaged in the drug business.

The new law makes it clearly apparent that it is a violation for an unregistered clerk to sell what pharmacists call spiritus frumenti, and great many people call "boozes." In the list of things the unregistered clerk may sell is Jamaica ginger and other essences which are intoxicating, but it does not make mention that spiritus frumenti may be sold.

A great many times druggists who brought in court for illegal sales of liquor have pleaded that sales were made by their clerks. But the new statute admonishes that the head of the store must instruct his force that no one in the store can sell liquor but a registered drug clerk.

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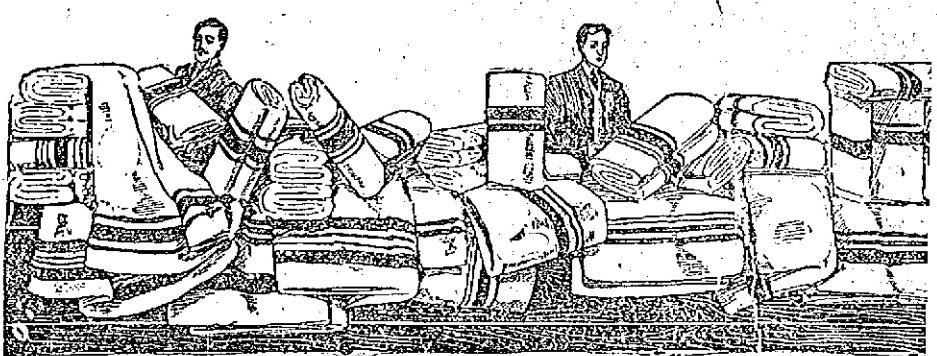
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## HOLDS RECORD FOR CONTINUOUS PLAY WITH ONE BALL TEAM



# The Bon Marché

LOWELL'S MOST PROGRESSIVE STORE



## SALE OF Sample Blankets

NOW IN PROGRESS IN OUR BASEMENT

The sale prices are about two-thirds of the regular prices. No seconds and no imperfect goods in the lot, but of course some are matted or slightly soiled. All have colored borders and all come either white or gray.

75c Blankets for .....	.59c Pair	\$2.98 Blankets for .....	\$1.98 Pair
98c Blankets for .....	.75c Pair	\$3.98 Blankets for .....	\$2.98 Pair
\$1.40 Blankets for .....	.98c Pair	\$4.98 Blankets for .....	\$3.98 Pair
\$1.88 Blankets for .....	\$1.49 Pair	\$5.98 Blankets for .....	\$4.98 Pair
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**J. L. CHALIFOUX CO.**  
COR. CENTRAL & MIDDLE STS.

Lowell's Greatest Ready-to-Wear Store

Adler-Rochester Clothes  
Suits and Overcoats

## OVERCOAT AND SUIT SALE

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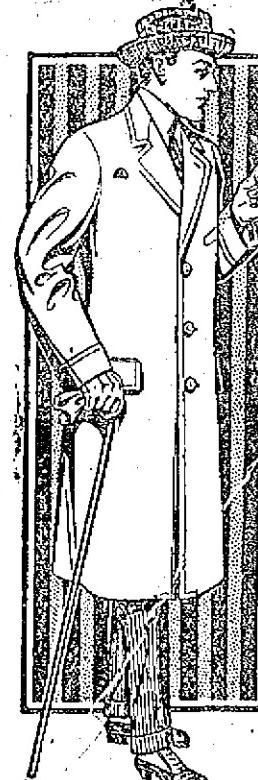
Adler-Rochester

**\$16.50**

VALUE \$20 to \$30

We are putting on sale our entire stock of Adler-Rochester Suits and Overcoats. The materials are of the richest, most becoming shades of the fashion.

Suits are two and three button style, patch and plain pockets, high cut vest, semi-peg pants. Overcoats are single and double breasted, shawl and notch collars, plain and half belt, chinchilla, shetland cloth, in gray, blue and brown.



**Special!  
Other Good  
Makes**

\$20 Overcoats...	\$14.50
\$15 Overcoats...	\$9.50
\$20 Suits....	\$14.50
\$15 Suits....	\$9.50



THE MILITARY MAIL AND TELEGRAMS AT KEITH'S THIS WEEK.

## \$4500 BIT OF RADIUM MISSING

Chicago Police Continue Search for Capsule Containing Radium



Dr. Jacob of New York Says Radium Cured Him of Cancer

CHICAGO, Jan. 1.—A bit of radium, missing from a capsule which had been given to a woman patient at a hospital, has been recovered by police and hospital authorities. It was believed to have been lost or stolen several days ago while being used in the treating of a cancer patient.

Unless it is now having the previous percentage of radium, it is half the size of a match head and is worth \$4500.

In his efforts to show how to protect him from its influence, it may kill him, according to the hospital physiologist.

Impossible to Find It.

If, instead of being 26 cm. it is missed, it will lose its presence by its influence and other substances are around it.

The missing radium was imported from Paris by Dr. Jacob's hospital. It was kept in a platinum capsule an eighth of an inch in diameter and three-eighths of an inch long. Its last appearance known to the hospital staff was when the capsule was placed in the nostril of the arm of a woman patient.

After receiving treatments it was found that the capsule was inactive. When it was opened and it was found that the radium was gone.

It would be impossible to sell the

missing bit of radium, it was said. A record is kept of every particle known to exist in the world, and this piece is on that register.

### CURED OF CANCER

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Dr. Abraham Jacob, the well known medical practitioner, says he has been cured of cancer by radium, but that the public should not assume too quickly that radium will cure all forms of cancer completely. "I am a living example of the cure," says Dr. Jacob.

## WARMED NEW YEAR IN

Services in Five Churches—Large Congregation and Singing at St. Anne's Church

Watch night services were held in five of the six churches with large congregations. The scene at St. Anne's was a most impressive one. The church was crowded to the doors when at 10:15 o'clock the choir boys sang carols in the organ room. At 10:45 the organist, Charles E. Brown, gave a brief organ recital. Then the doors of the choir room were open, and the processional of choir boys and men entered, followed by the Guild of St. Cecilia, and by visiting clergymen and the rector of course. They sang the procession hymn as they marched down one aisle and up another to the chapel.

In the service Rev. N. W. Mather and Rev. A. C. Perrin read the lesson. Rev. Appleton Grannis preached a brief sermon, and the service was closed with silent prayer, the congregation remaining on their knees until the church bells announced the midnight hour. The music of the chimes greeted the New Year and familiar hymns were played as the congregation left the church.

### First Baptist Church

The other churches in which watch night services were held were the First Baptist, Highland Methodist, St. Paul's M. E. and French Baptist churches. At 10:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church the organist Wilfred Kershaw gave a short organ recital and the Weber male quartet of Boston sang several selections. The formal program was opened about 11 o'clock, theology and invocation being given by Rev. James Bauerhoff of St. John's Episcopal church, and the responsive

# O'Brien's Sweeping Alteration Sale

IS THE BIG CLOTHING EVENT OF THE NEW YEAR

## \$25,000 Worth of Men's High Grade Clothing and Furnishings AT SWEEPING PRICE REDUCTIONS

Alterations that will greatly enlarge our clothing capacity and improve our store efficiency are planned to begin about Feb. 1st. The dust and dirt incident to such alterations are ruinous to fine clothes. It's imperative that this merchandise be moved—and moved quickly. We need the room for the workmen and we can't afford to take chances with the damage liable from dust and dirt.

We have decided to take our loss NOW, and have made SWEEPING REDUCTIONS in price on our entire stock of Men's Fine Clothing and except for a few branded articles, our stock of Men's Furnishings and Hats; which should result in a quick disposal of our entire stock.

Men of Lowell, this is no ordinary sale. You know the high character of our merchandise and the honesty of our methods. We say to you, here's a chance to save real money on high grade seasonable merchandise just when you need the goods. You'll not soon again get a chance at our kind of merchandise at the prices we offer them at today. It's an opportunity for you, don't be slow to grasp it.

### Sweeping Reductions on MEN'S SHIRTS

Manhattan Shirts and Dress Shirts Excepted:

\$1.00 Shirts .....	79c
\$1.50 Shirts .....	\$1.15
\$2 and \$2.50 Shirts .....	\$1.65

### MEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS AND PAJAMAS

50c Night Shirts .....	39c
\$1 Night Shirts and Pajamas .....	79c
\$1.50 Pajamas .....	\$1.15
\$2.00 Pajamas .....	\$1.65

### MEN'S UNDERWEAR

50c Ribbed Shirts, Drawers .....	39c
\$1 Wool Shirts and Drawers .....	79c
\$1 Union Suits .....	79c
\$1.50 Ribbed Union Suits .....	\$1.15
\$3 Worsted Union Suits .....	\$2.35

### MEN'S SWEATERS

\$3.00 Sweaters .....	\$2.35
\$5.00 Sweaters .....	\$3.75
\$6.00 Sweaters .....	\$4.75
\$7.00 Sweaters .....	\$5.75

### MEN'S GLOVES

Our Special O'Brien \$1.15 Cape Gloves .....	85c
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\$1.50 Wool Lined Gloves .....	\$1.15
\$2.50 Wool Lined Gloves .....	\$1.88
\$5.00 Fur Lined Gloves .....	\$3.75

### MEN'S SUSPENDERS AND BELTS

25c Suspenders and Belts .....	19c
50c Suspenders and Belts .....	39c
75c Paris and Brighton Garters .....	19c
15c Arm Elastics .....	19c
15c Arm Elastics .....	9c

### SWEEPING REDUCTIONS ON

## Stein-Bloch Suits and Overcoats

And Those of Other Makes We Carry

\$12.50 and \$15.00	\$15.00 and \$17.50
SUITS AND OVERCOATS	SUITS AND OVERCOATS

\$9.75	\$12.50
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\$20.00 and \$22.50

SUITS AND OVERCOATS

\$16.75
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\$25.00 and \$27.50	\$30.00 and \$35.00
SUITS AND OVERCOATS	SUITS AND OVERCOATS

\$19.75	\$23.75
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### SWEEPING REDUCTIONS IN

## Men's Trousers, Fancy Vests, Raincoats and Bath Robes

\$2.50 Trousers .....	\$1.85	\$10.00 Raincoats .....	\$6.75
\$3.00 Trousers .....	\$2.35	\$15.00 Raincoats .....	\$12.50
\$4.00 Trousers .....	\$3.25	\$5.00 Bath Robes .....	\$3.75
\$5.00 Trouser .....	\$3.75	\$6.00 Bath Robes .....	\$4.75
\$6.00 Trouser .....	\$4.75	\$7.50 Bath Robes .....	\$5.75
\$2.50 Fancy Vests .....	\$1.65	\$10.00 Bath Robes .....	\$7.75
\$3.50 Fancy Vests .....	\$2.35	\$12 and \$15 Bath Robes .....	\$9.75
\$5.00 and \$6.00 Raincoats .....	\$3.75		

THE  
SMART  
CLOTHES  
SHOP

# D. S. O'BRIEN CO.,

222 MERRIMACK STREET, LOWELL

OLD  
CITY  
HALL  
BUILDING

Miss M. Ramette; song, Edward DesForges; recitation, Albert Merriam.

C. Ramette, pastor of the church, and

the watch night services at St. Paul's

Methodist church.

A testimonial meeting was held

on Saturday, January 3rd, at the

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# R. A. WOODS CONFIRMED

Member of the Boston Licensing Board—Hamilton for Superior Court Bench

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—Robert A. Woods was confirmed as a member of the Boston licensing board at the meeting of the governor's council yesterday afternoon, but not until a stiff protest had been made against him by the organized liquor trade.

The vote was 7 to 1, the one being Councillor Collins of South Boston. The main argument made against Mr. Woods was that he was identified with the prohibition movement of the Anti-Saloon League and therefore not a proper man to administer the giving out of liquor licenses.

The council confirmed Judge John C. Crosby of Pittsfield as Justice of the supreme judicial court. The place-left vacant on the superior court bench by the promotion of Judge Crosby is filled by the appointment by Governor Foss of William Hamilton of Springfield. The confirmation of Judge Crosby was by unanimous vote. Immediately afterward Judge Crosby took the oath of office.

#### Hunt Wins Pardon

The pardon of George E. Hunt of Worcester, who was sentenced to six months in the house of correction upon an alleged attempt to bribe a deputy sealer, was granted by a vote of seven to one. Councillor Ham voted against the pardon. Hunt will pay the \$100 fine imposed by the court, but the pardon does not become effective until after the payment of the fine.

This pardon was passed upon by the attorney-general, who ruled that while the governor and council might grant a pardon to a man who has not served his sentence, it would be outside the powers of the governor and council to relieve him of paying the fine, inasmuch as that would be an interference with the judiciary.

Pardons were also granted to Jose Mello, who has served 20 years of a life sentence for murder in the second degree, and to James Macleod, who

has served half of a two-year sentence in the house of correction for breaking and entering.

#### Thompson Case Delayed

The case of Francis Nims Thompson, who was appointed judge of probate for Franklin county was put over for another week. A protest was made against the confirmation of Mr. Thompson.

Frank D. Kemp of the highways commission, whose term expires Jan. 4, was reappointed. John N. Cole, chairman of the commission on economy and efficiency, was reappointed. George M. Harlow, the governor's secretary, was appointed upon the harbor and land commission.

Other appointments were as follows: Will H. Stover of Everett to be associate justice of the Charlestown court.

Robert D. Hildreth of Westfield to be associate medical examiner of Hampden county.

Forrest E. Adams of Natick, to be trial justice in Middlesex county.

W. Lothrop Ames of North Easton and Charles E. Ward of Buckland to be trustees of the Massachusetts Agricultural college.

Alice P. Roth of New Bedford to be trustee of the Bristol county agricultural school.

George Cressney of Salem to be trustee of the Essex county agricultural school.

Dr. Langdon Frothingham of Boston to be on the board of registration in veterinary medicine.

George Stickney of Beverly to be medical examiner of Essex county.

John A. Crozier of Hadley to be clerk of the district court of Hampshire county.

These appointments were laid over until the next meeting for confirmation. Owing to the coming in of the new legislature next week, the council meeting will be held Tuesday.

## A LITTLE NONSENSE



**ENGAGED.**  
"I have my eyes on you!"  
The young man sung. Said she.  
"You are very slow,  
For my other beau  
Has a band around on me."



**SILLY WILLIE.**  
Billy Willie triomed the cat  
To a shape quite geometric.  
Said, when mamma scolded him,  
"I have made him cat-elliptic."



**AFTERMATH.**  
Christmas comes but once a year—  
If it came twice or more,  
Most everyone, we sadly fear,  
Would turn to keeping store,



**THE SWINDLER.**  
The swindler measured I am no  
Philanthropist, not wise;  
And yet I'm not so looking for  
The good things I can do!



**THE STOCK BROKER.**  
The broker is a jovial jay,  
The go-between in speculations.  
He gets his payment either way,  
Nor frets about the indications.

## MURDER CHARGE

Porter Charlton Hopes to Prove Alibi at His Trial

CONO, Italy, Jan. 1.—The trial of Porter Charlton, the young American accused of murdering his wife, Mary



Crittenden Scott, will soon begin here. Charlton has failed considerably in health since he was brought here from the United States and jailed Aug. 30. He hopes to prove an alibi.

## 1913 WARMEST YEAR

BROKE BOSTON WEATHER BUREAU'S RECORD WITH 2080 DEGREES EXCESS

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—From a meteorological point of view, yesterday ended an extraordinary year. It was the warmest by far, of any year in Boston within the records of the Boston branch of the weather bureau service. December made the ninth month of the year showing an excess of heat over normal, the accumulation for the month being 192 degrees. The last month of the year, therefore, was like the first only not quite so abnormal, for January saw an excess over normal of 330 degrees.

For the entire year the accumulated excess was 1230 degrees, that being 422 degrees more of a departure than any year in the past, so far as the records of the weather bureau show. The mean daily temperature for last year was 52.3 degrees, whereas the highest previous means was 51.2 degrees, in 1903. There is a difference of 2030 degrees between the heat last year and that of 1872, the coldest year of which a record has been kept at the Boston branch of the weather bureau.

The year 1913 was the sixth successive year of abnormal warmth, with an accumulated excess over normal during that period of 4911 degrees. The excesses for each of these years have been as follows:

	Excess.
1908	868
1909	613
1910	718
1911	759
1912	633
1913	1230

## DUMMER ACADEMY FIRE

FAMOUS BUILDING THREATENED BY BLAZE—OLDEST PREP SCHOOL IN AMERICA

NORTH BYFIELD, Jan. 1.—The Dummer farmhouse, a dormitory of Dummer academy, the oldest prep school in America, was destroyed yesterday afternoon by fire which threatened the entire historic group.

A five-mile dash by a fire engine company, over frozen country roads, the hurried breaking of ice on a nearby pond and the desperate struggle of regular and volunteer firemen, alone saved the ancient landmarks.

The main building, once the home of William Dunster, Lieutenant-governor, acting governor and commander-in-chief of the colony of Massachusetts in 1723, later the school from which were graduated Colonel Tobias Lear, aide to General George Washington during the revolution, Commodore Peale and other distinguished men, narrowly was saved. Until the arrival of modern apparatus, a student brigade, assisted by townspeople, passed buckets in an effort to get the fire under control.

## TO END STRIKE TROUBLE

REPRESENTATIVES OF MICHIGAN UNIONS APPEAL TO CALUMET'S PRESIDENT

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 1.—In an effort to end the labor troubles in the copper country, representatives of the various state labor unions will draw a plan for settlement which they will ask Gov. Ferris to forward to President Shaw of the Calumet and Hecla Mining company at Boston. At a conference of union men here yesterday afternoon, it was decided to tap the matter over the head of James MacNaughton, general manager of the Calumet and Hecla, in the hope, they said, of further arousing public sentiment and forcing the mining companies to come to terms or at least to submit the differences between them and their employees to a board of arbitration.

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\$20 SUITS.....	<b>\$10.00</b>
\$25 SUITS, sizes to 52; blue, black and fancy.....	<b>\$14.50</b>
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\$25 BLACK BROADCLOTH COATS.....	<b>\$15.00</b>
\$20 BLACK BROADCLOTH COATS, Persiana collar and cuffs.....	<b>\$12.50</b>
\$10 SPORT COATS.....	<b>\$2.98</b>
95 COATS, odds and ends. Values to \$15.00.....	<b>\$4.98</b>
\$20 ARABIAN BABY LAMB COATS.....	<b>\$14.00</b>
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## HAPPY NEW YEAR

To all our readers we cordially wish a happy and prosperous New Year. This depends in a great measure on the success of our people's efforts to encourage the public to do their duty. Business is booming, all our industries are running smoothly; there is no industrial strife among us, and most of our people are apparently contented. It is, therefore, with confidence we sincerely wish a happy New Year to all.

## APPLYING CURRENCY LAW

The approval of the currency bill by the directors of the Union National bank of this city, together with their application for membership in the list of federal reserve banks created under its terms, is but a local manifestation of "the sudden acceptance by public opinion everywhere" of the new currency bill. This acceptance was not given blindly with an unsuspecting trust in government claims or promises but only after the technicalities of the measure had been weighed well and compared with those in the old discarded financial system. For the first time in a generation a great reform having to do with "free and elastic and uncontrolled credits" has been given to the country and applied to national financial problems with the approval of the public generally and the specific approval of those in whom, judging from precedent, one might have expected adverse criticism and opposition.

Were it not that the public was prepared by the success of the tariff revision to discredit all cries of calamity, it is probable that the attacks on the currency bill both before and after its enactment would have been far more violent than they were. The time is not far back when threats of panic and hypocritical portents of disaster to trade and industry were powerful party weapons in opposition to a disliked reform measure. With the passing of time and the exposure of the real motives back of this type of opposition, the public grew indifferent to the claims of its promoters and the belief became general that no party which pretends in the slightest degree to represent the public would dare sanction any measure that would bring partial or total industrial disaster. It has also been clearly demonstrated that even some comparatively slight defects should not be permitted to prevent action on a bill that would introduce a national reform; recent congressional hearings on some slight constructive flaws in the tariff bill show a way to remedy the little errors that take from the perfection of the whole. Even should the bill be only 75 per cent. good, as was alleged by Senator Weeks, it is better than the old financial system which, judging from the criticism of friends and foes alike and proved by past panics was over 75 per cent. bad. The clever reference of our own Congressman Rogers, who used the analogy of a bad egg in condemning the currency measure, falls flat when we realize that the bad egg cannot be remedied but that the 25 per cent. of unsoundness in the currency bill—admitting it to be there—can be eliminated within a short time by the same wise congressional judgment that put the 75 per cent. of good in its clauses.

## NEW AUTOMOBILE LAWS

The regrettable number of our automobile accidents annually is not so much due to a lack of laws as to negligence in complying with those already on the statute books, nevertheless the new bill mentioned and supported by the approval of the Automobile Legal association seems a step in the right direction. Its directness and simplicity at once recommend it, and if it is true, as its advocates allege, that it will define the right of way and do away with the confusion that is now responsible for a large number of accidents, it deserves to meet with the approval of the legislature. Here are the two sections of the easily understood bill:

"When persons meet at an intersection of ways, except when travel is under the direction of a police officer in uniform, whether traveling with carriages, wagons, carts, sleds, sleighs, bicycles, motor vehicles, motorcycles or other vehicles, those approaching from the right shall have the right of way over those approaching from the left."

"Section 2. Any person violating section 1 of this act will be deemed prima facie negligent in any civil action brought against him for damages to property or injury to persons resulting therefrom."

If this law does away with some of the unwritten laws governing the right of way and simplifies the problems of the drivers of automobiles and other vehicles, so much the better. Traffic is something that should not call for confusing regulations but a few plain and easily enforced ones.

## MR. HAMMOND'S ADVICE

Mr. John Hays Hammond, celebrated for remarkable mining exploits in South Africa in the golden days of old, and later for his friendship with ex-President Taft, with such important things thrown in as nudging King George in the ribs during the coronation—is rapidly qualifying as a critic of democratic government. Recently he came out with scathing denunciations of Mr. Bryan and, like the lion in the fable, he has now swelled to such an enormous size that he suggests a revision of the Monroe doctrine. This "unimportant" doctrine he would have discarded, with the exception that it should still apply to Mexico and Central America. Now it just happens that Mr. Hammond has important mining interests in Mexico and it looks as though the criticism of Mr. Bryan was voted because this country has not poured out the blood of its soldiers like water to protect Mr. Hammond's financial interests.

The arguments brought out by the indignant gentleman deal altogether in trades and markets without reference to any very lofty ideals. If the United States will only modify its principles to safeguard Mr. Hammond's mines, he will in all probability cease to advise us and even to criticize Mr. Bryan. But alas for the temper of the distinguished critic! The United States is not yet material enough to change the peace policy for the Hammond policy of greed protected by armadas. Mr. Hammond's proper place is in South Africa as leader of the Zulus.

at least that she scorned all such offers and stole out of the place in the darkness of the night to hide her misery and her shame. Speaking of some features of the unusual story the Boston Herald says "the greater shame is theirs"—the theatrical producers—"and indirectly the public's, which sets so distorted a value on theatrical 'entertainment' that it needs but a career of shame to transform a worthless performer into a headliner at a salary compared with which the incomes of our college professors would be pathetic."

Unfortunately the tendency to exploit and commercialize careers of sensationalism and shame is not confined to America. Europe has its hosts of entertainers whose special attraction is in their unlovely records. France, of course, heads the list with its mistresses of dissolute nobles, its red widows, its pretended confidantes of kings, its murderers, its hundreds of brazen actors and actresses whose lives are a blot on modern civilization. Reserved England recently applauded one of our notorious American young ladies who at one time posed effectively, figured in a murder, and now dances, say the critics, but indifferently. Art—that much abused term—is thrown to the winds and the motley crowd of repulsive notables gambol and sing before the gaze of the modern world that is so much interested forthwith in all that concerns the "uplift of the race" and much else that is nonsensical under the guise of progressive thought.

Why does the public go to see men and especially women who have become famous in careers of shame? For the same reason that hundreds of tourists went to the Paris morgues until even that licentious city grew sick at the sight and stopped the hideous exhibition—prudent curiosity. Some may allege higher motives and champion the exploited heroine of vice. It is well. It is noble in fact. But it is not honest. Far better let the notables who have climbed to "theatrical eminence" on the ladder of vice sink into merciful oblivion. Let us rather champion the wrongs at our door—the wives that are beaten; the weak who are striving valiantly against wrong, the silly girls that are beginning to sear their souls in the flame of temptation. We shall have clean plays when we refuse to go to a theatre conducted by a manager who would strive to make capital out of the wrecked life of such a woman as the wretched victim of the dead lawyer at Monticello.

Nowhere in the world is there a

more violent than they were. The time is not far back when threats of panic and hypocritical portents of disaster to trade and industry were powerful party weapons in opposition to a disliked reform measure. With the passing of time and the exposure of the real motives back of this type of opposition, the public grew indifferent to the claims of its promoters and the belief became general that no party which pretends in the slightest degree to represent the public would dare sanction any measure that would bring partial or total industrial disaster. It has also been clearly demonstrated that even some comparatively slight defects should not be permitted to prevent action on a bill that would introduce a national reform; recent congressional hearings on some slight constructive flaws in the tariff bill show a way to remedy the little errors that take from the perfection of the whole. Even should the bill be only 75 per cent. good, as was alleged by Senator Weeks, it is better than the old financial system which, judging from the criticism of friends and foes alike and proved by past panics was over 75 per cent. bad. The clever reference of our own Congressman Rogers, who used the analogy of a bad egg in condemning the currency measure, falls flat when we realize that the bad egg cannot be remedied but that the 25 per cent. of unsoundness in the currency bill—admitting it to be there—can be eliminated within a short time by the same wise congressional judgment that put the 75 per cent. of good in its clauses.

One fact of the current revision bill not generally known is that in its provisions are included most of the good features advocated after the exhaustive investigation conducted under the monetary commission headed by Nelson W. Aldrich. Some of the sections in the new bill are copied almost verbatim from the Aldrich report because they could not be improved. Among these is the idea of the federal reserve system which Aldrich upheld under a different name and under different management. The Aldrich plan would have placed the highest power over the finances of the country in the hands of bankers and financiers in the last analysis, or in other words, "high finance" but the Glass-Owen bill places it where it properly belongs, not in the hands of the government, but in the hands of bankers and financiers under the watchful supervision of the government.

Since the currency bill became law we have heard little or nothing of the danger of "inflation" or the other monetary dangers attributed in some quarters to the influence of Secretary Bryan. Instead we have seen the acceptance of the law by bankers and bankers generally with confidence and approval. Some of our own leading banks were the first to give practical illustration of their acceptance of its terms, and it may be asserted with confidence that practically all the banks eligible for membership in the chain of federal-reserve banks will make application within the next month.

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**EXPLOITING SHAME**

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## Seen and Heard

It would be a good thing for all municipalities if the graduates of its various schools held together in bonds of comradeship through life and gathered yearly to listen to words of wisdom and warning such as they heard when as graduates they faced life and its problems. One such reunion was held in St. Patrick's school on Tuesday evening and all who have read the speeches must feel that its effect will be a salutary influence on the lives of those who were fortunate in being present. Long may the pupils of St. Patrick's academy continue to unite yearly in mutual companionship and exalted unity.

The old-fashioned woman who used to wear red flannel underwear to ward off rheumatism now has a daughter who dodges it by wearing a coat of talcum powder and a smile.

There is such a thing as being too careful. If Noah had made one little careless slip when he checked up the cargo of the ark we could have gotten along finely without the bedbug.

A man seldom leaves his wife as much when he dies as he did when he was alive.

Some men are so dog-gone ungrateful that they don't even thank you for worrying over their business.

It is funny that the fellow who doesn't believe in a hell is the same guy who gets it nearly every day.

What has become of the old-fashioned almanac that displayed the signs of the zodiac grouped around a gentle-man with an open-faced stomach?

An optimist is a bald-headed man who is tickled to death because he knows he hasn't any dandruff on his coat collar.

The reason a man doesn't worry more over the prospect of his sins finding him out is because his wife always beats them to it.

It takes a man who handles about two dollars a week to get panic stricken when he reads that there is a new \$100 counterfeit in circulation.

A fifteen-year-old girl understands men better than a fifty-year-old man understands women.

What has become of the old-fashioned tight wad who used to keep his change in a leather bag with a shoe lace tied around the top of it?

The man who always takes a drink of whisky when he gets up in the morning never sleeps late.

Things don't always work out as they should. If they did every colored man in the country would vote under the rooster.

Every time there is a misdeal in a poker game some mutt is certain to find a pat flush in his hand and this gives him an opportunity to make his claim a Walling Place for the rest of the session.

Wonder what ever became of the old lad who used to pour his coffee into his saucer, whirl it around, blow bubbles of it and then strain it through his mustache in big gulps?

There's no foot like an old foot. The older they get the more slow they use on their faces.

Any time a girl goes to the front door in an old kimono and her own complexion when a young man calls it is a sign that the young man is as popular as a twelve-bucks bottle of cedar oil, as far as she is concerned.

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VICE

CRUSADE

Thirteen Young Men and Women Sentenced in Malden

officials of both the police force and the state board of charity in urging such a crusade.

One of the young women given a sentence is married and has two children. Several of the men are married. Five of the girls, who live mostly in the Faulkner section of the city, were sentenced to Lancaster, one to Sherborn, and the state board of charity has taken several of the girls. Four men received three months' sentences each in the house of correction. An Everett youth was fined \$25 but appealed, being held in \$300.

This is the second court day of the crusade and created much excitement. The new cases will be tried in the Malden court every day until concluded.

The court session was held behind closed doors before Judge Sweetser and lasted throughout the day. The jail became so great that the court adjourned to Pleasant Street during the afternoon, when a verdict had not yet been reached, that Captain Foley of the Malden police, the investigator of the crusade, with the aid of Miss Catherine O'Rourke of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, detailed a squad of officers to clear away the crowd.

The investigation is still in its infancy and the police have warrants for 50 more of Malden's young people who will be held in court within a few weeks. It is the most wide-reaching result of the crusade, with the aid of Miss O'Rourke of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, detailed a squad of officers to clear away the crowd.

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**HARD TIMES DID IT**

Many Called Off Weddings—Brides Waiting at the Church

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—More prospective bidders were left "waiting at the church" or changed their minds before reaching the altar, during the year 1913 than during any year in the history of the city registry, according to City Registrar Edward McGlenen.

Business unrest caused by tariff and currency legislation and also the high cost of living, are given by Mr. McGlenen as the cause for this blighting of matrimonial hopes.

He declared that during the year hundreds of marriage licenses were returned to him. Most of them were accompanied by notes stating that the proposed bridegroom had lost his position or feared that he would lose it because of business unrest. Hundreds of other persons, Mr. McGlenen said, probably were deterred from taking out licenses because of these reasons.

In spite of this there were issued 9373 marriage licenses during the year, which was seven more than in 1912. The city officials say that the increase should have been at least 400.

Up until last August there were 400 more licenses taken out than during any other corresponding period in the history of Boston. Then there was a big slump in the matrimonial market and since then the number of licenses has been considerably less than during the corresponding period in 1912.

**SMITH FAVORITE**

'Gunboat' Meets Arthur Pelkey at San Francisco Today

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1.—Prize ring experts said today that two heavyweights were never better conditioned for a fight than Gunboat Smith and Arthur Pelkey, for their 20 round battle here this afternoon. Smith money was in the ascendancy and the odds on the gunner were pressed down by the weight of coin, from 10 to 8 to 10 to 7.

Smith's followers counted it little that their man was conceding a matter of 25 pounds to the big Canadian. Smith has a more formidable record than his opponent, who until his fight today was virtually unknown to the San Francisco public. Pelkey's main achievement was his victory over Luther McCarty, who in turn had beaten Jim Flynn.

The sky was still overcast this morning but there was a good prospect that the rain would hold off long enough to permit the staging of the much awaited tie.

**60,000 WELCOME 1914**

GREAT CELEBRATION OF BIRTH OF NEW YEAR IN BOSTON COMMON LAST NIGHT

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—While fireworks glared on the common, uncounted thousands cheered and church bells rang. Early in 1913, departed to the land of Nowhere, and gay 1914 entered Boston with more acclaim than was ever accorded a president or king.

Last night's celebration of the birth of the New Year far exceeded anything of the kind ever attempted before, more than 60,000 people being present on the common, where the gigantic municipal party was held.

**DEATH TAKES ASTRONOMER**

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—Professor Seth C. Chandler, who won fame as an astronomer, died yesterday at his home, 17 Cushing street, Woburn, after a short illness.

Professor Chandler was one of the best-known astronomers in the country, having won several gold medals for research work. He was a member of the royal astronomy club of England, Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, foreign associate member of the Royal Astronomical Society of London and member of the American Academy of Science. Professor Chandler was 67 years of age. He is survived by his wife and six children. The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon from the home, and burial will be in Mt. Auburn cemetery.

**ANTI-PRIZE FIGHT LAW**

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 1.—It was announced officially today that the number of signatures to an initiative petition proposing an anti-prize fight law in California was insufficient to place the proposition on the 1914 ballot.

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## of Men's and Boys' Suits, Overcoats, Furnishing Goods, Hats and Caps

It is this live store's policy to never carry any goods over from one season to another. You'll probably see plenty of lower prices than we quote, and reductions apparently greater than ours, but our goods and prices are always as advertised.

We carry the best lines that we can buy. The Kuppenheimer Suits and Overcoats are never excelled. You'll find the choicest lot of bargains at this sale that we have ever shown.

\$10 Suits and Overcoats	\$7.50	\$18 and \$20 Suits and Overcoats	\$14.50
\$12.50 Suits and Overcoats	\$8.50	\$25 Suits and Overcoats	\$18.50
\$15 Suits and Overcoats	\$11.50	\$35 and \$38 Suits and Overcoats	\$22.50
50c SHIRTS	.39c		

**January Shirt Sale**

\$2.00 SHIRTS.....	\$1.63
(3 for \$4.50)	
\$1.50 SHIRTS.....	\$1.09
(3 for \$3.00)	
\$1.00 SHIRTS.....	.69c
(3 for \$2.00)	
50c SHIRTS.....	.39c

**All Boys' Suits and Overcoats at Similar Reductions**

ALL ALTERATIONS FREE.

### THREE CUSHION CHAMPION, WHO RISKS TITLE IN CHICAGO JAN. 5, 6, 7



### KING HONORS BRYCE

FORMER BRITISH AMBASSADOR AT WASHINGTON IS GIVEN THE TITLE OF VISCOUNT

for the preceding five years. The particularly bright spots in the against the previous low record, 15.2, registered against the previous infant mortality rate, 107 per 1000 births registered in 1912, also made in 1912.

LONDON, Jan. 1.—James Bryce, formerly British ambassador at Washington, is given the title of viscount in the New Year's honor list.

Sir Francois Charles Stanislas Langelier, lieutenant-governor of Quebec, and Douglas Colin Cameron, Neul, governor of Manitoba, were made Knights Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George while Chief Justice Hargrave Armand Beaufort of Quebec and Henry Kelly Egan of Ottawa received knighthood.

In addition to Mr. Bryce, four peers were given peerages. These were Sir Kurus Daniel Isaacs, formerly attorney-general and now lord chief justice; Alexander Innes, lord president of the Scottish court of sessions; Sir Charles Cripe, Union member of parliament for Buckinghamshire, and Sir Harold Harmsworth, a brother of Lord Northcliffe.

Courtney Walter Bennett, British consul general at New York, also was created a knight.

**19,99 BIRTHS IN HUB**

DURING 1913—STORK'S RECORD IS WAY ABOVE DEATH RATE FOR SAME PERIOD—OTHER RECORDS

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—The stork won out over the grim reaper by a wide margin in Boston last year, according to the reports which the health and registry departments made to Mayor Fitzgerald last evening. These officials reported that during 1913 there were 19,292 births in Boston, the greatest number in the city's history, while there were 11,336 deaths, which gives the city a death rate as low as that for 1912, which was the lowest Boston ever had.

The births in 1912 totaled 18,588, which was 411 less than last year. There were more births in September than in any other month, there being an average of 67 a day.

The death rate for the year is figured at 18.1 per thousand inhabitants. If the 1500 deaths of non-residents were deducted the yearly rate would be lowered to 14.1 against the 1912 rate of 14.2.

The rate for typhoid fever in 1913 will be about .32 per 10,000 population against the low record of .79 in 1912. If deaths of non-residents are deducted, the corrected rate becomes .69 against .68 in 1912.

The rates for scarlet fever and diphtheria are both higher than in 1912. Per 10,000 population the death rate from scarlet fever will be about 1.05 against 1.04 for the preceding five years, and the death rate from diphtheria will be about 2.12 against 2.60.

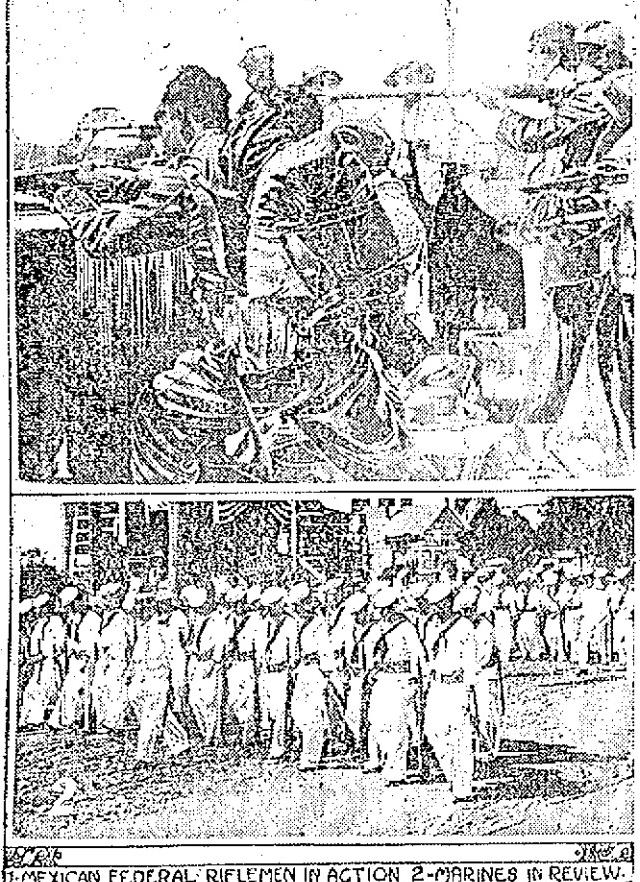
The old year is gone with all its bad promises to make amends for aeroplane this year, does 1914 instead of automobile, as in the past, thus showing that up to date fashions is what comes to us bearing a horn of plenty have done to us. And it travel by imperative order of the day.

ALFRED DE ORO

Alfredo De Oro, champion, and Charles Morin, challenger, will play their match for the Jordan Lambert trophy, emblematic of the three cushion carom championship, in Chicago. De Oro had named New York, Jan. 6 and 7, as place and dates for the contest, but was influenced by a substantial guarantee, win or lose, to con-

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LATEST PICTURES OF HUERTA'S  
SOLDIERS AND U. S. MARINES



1 MEXICO CITY, Jan. 1.—The federal forces do not seem at all alarmed at the prospect of an assault on the city by the combined forces of the rebels and President Huerta is firmly convinced that he can stand off any available aggregation that the rebels can

muster. In the illustration are shown photos of some of Huerta's marksmen in action and a detachment of marines from the United States ship Louisiana, now off the east coast of Mexico, who are ready to land on Mexican soil and aid in restoring order at any moment.

The Musketaquid mill, a branch of the United States Worsted Co., one of the largest worsted industries in the country, situated at the corner of Newell and Davidson streets, is a busy plant, although the full complement of help

is not at work. The writer yesterday interviewed the superintendent, Berry Laycock, and from him learned a few facts concerning business conditions at the mill.

The production of the Lowell plant of this large concern consists of ladies' dress goods and men's wear goods, all

of the worsted fabric. There are 150 looms in the building and 75 per cent of them are occupied. The full complement of help is about 150 but at the present time only 115 are employed, thus reducing the production about 25 per cent. Business has been in a fair condition for the past nine months, but with the new year setting in, the official in charge anticipates a boom in the manufacture of worsteds.

Weaving, dressing and a couple of other operations are being done in the local plant, while the finishing is done in the Lawrence plant. The yarn is manufactured at the Stetson mill in North Chelmsford and transported to the Howe street mill in a large auto truck, and the same mode of transportation is used for delivering the cloth to Lawrence.

Speaking about the tariff Mr. Laycock said the bill could have been worse. However, he said he believed it would have been better to start with a slight reduction on tariff prices and increase that cut gradually, for it would have meant a lot for industries of this country. In England worsted can be manufactured much cheaper than in the states and there is where the competition will come from. All departments of the plant are running and it is hoped within a few weeks additional help will be added to the payroll until the full force of employees is back at work again.

Deposit that Christmas money in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank, Saturday, January 3rd, is "Quarter Day."

## ROYAL COPENHAGEN WARE

Beautiful pieces in this very exclusive pottery at a generous discount from original prices.

Blossom and Flower Holders.....	94c to \$6.00
Honey Jars .....	\$3.75
Reduced from \$5.00.	

Hot Water Jugs .....

Reduced from \$3.00.

Many other attractive pieces at big discounts.

## LEATHER GOODS

Sewing Bags in Saffian Leather. Original prices, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00. Reduced to

**\$2.37, \$3.00, \$3.34**

## TRAVELLING CASES

Original prices \$3.75, \$7.00, \$11.00, \$13.00  
Reduced to.....\$2.50, \$4.67, \$7.33, \$8.67

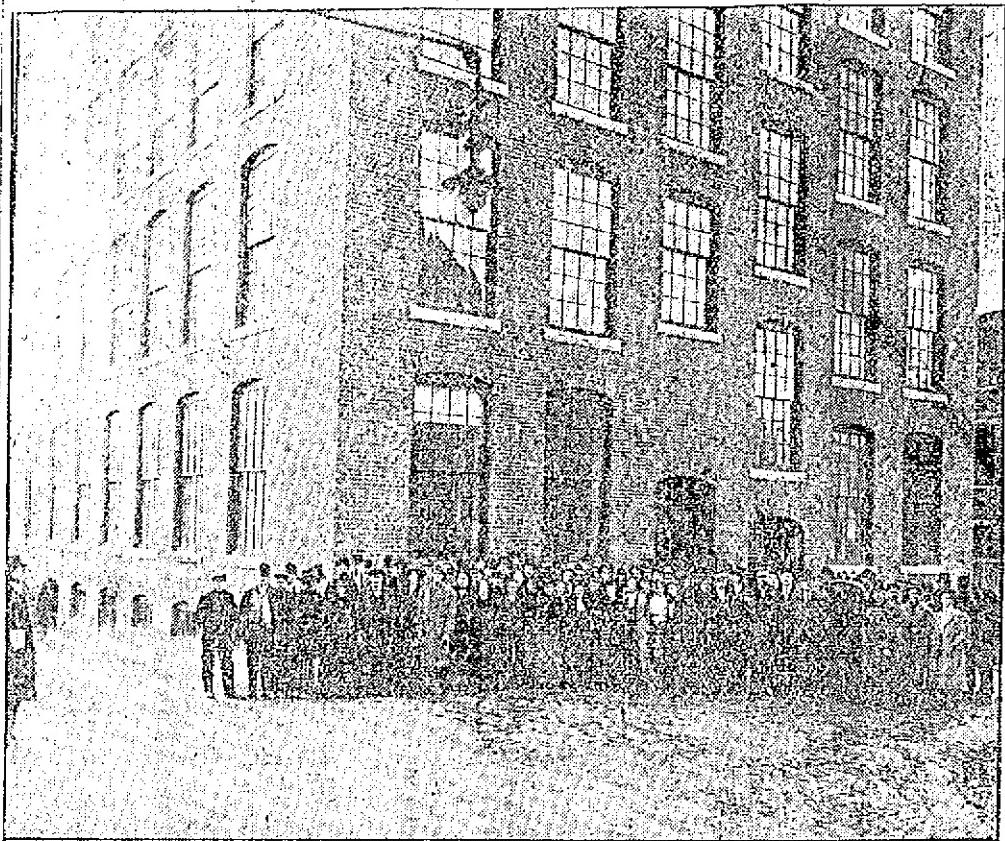
## POCKET BOOKS

Regularly priced at \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.00  
Reduced to.....79c, \$1.17, \$1.34

## CORDOVA LEATHER

The highest grade of hand carved leather.  
Bags, \$16.00, reduced to.....\$10.67  
Bill Folders, \$8.00, reduced to.....\$4.00  
Table Mat, \$8.00, reduced to.....\$4.00

# Musketaquid Mill Has Had Fairly Busy Season and Looks for Boom



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MERRIMACK STREET STORE

## GREAT SPECIAL MARK DOWN SALE

Thursday, Friday, Saturday

LADIES' COATS, SUITS, FURS, SHAWLS, DRESS SKIRTS, KIMONOS AND HOUSE-DRESSES AT SLAUGHTER PRICES. ALSO CHILDREN'S COATS, FURS, DRESSES, UNDERWEAR, GLOVES AND SWEATERS

EXTRAORDINARY VALUES ALL THIS WEEK

Ladies' Heavy Chinchilla Coats, all sizes and shades. From \$12.50 .....	\$7.98
Ladies' Heavy Black Kersey Coats, embroidered cuffs and collars. From \$7.50... \$3.98	
Ladies' Heavy Plush Coats. From \$18.50 .....	\$9.98
Ladies' and Misses Fancy Mixture Coats. From \$9.00, \$4.98	
Odd lot Ladies' Coats, sold up to \$10.00. Thursday \$2.98 Each	
Children's Heavy Chinchilla Coats, 3, 4, 5 and 6 years. Sold for \$6.50. This sale..... \$3.98	
Children's Bear Skin Coats, all colors. From \$3.00, \$1.69 Each	
Children's Little Black Cloth Coats, age 2, 3 and 4 years. From \$1.50..... 69c	
Ladies' Fine Tailor-made Dress Skirts. Sold up to \$6.98. This sale..... \$4.98 Each	
75 Ladies' Heavy Serge Dresses, all wool, nicely made. Sold for \$4.50. Thursday... \$1.49 Each	
27 \$5 Pure Wool Serge Dresses, prettily trimmed tailor-made. \$1.98 Each	
Ladies' Heavy Flannelette Night Robes. From 75c..... 49c	
Ladies' Heavy Flannelette Night Robes. From \$1.00..... 69c	
Men's Heavy Flannelette Night Robes. From 59c..... 35c	
Children's 69c Night Robes, 39c Each	
100 Ladies' Fine Messaline Petticoats, all colors. Worth \$3.00 ..... \$1.69	
Ladies' \$4.00 Pure Wool Sweaters .....	\$1.98
Extra Large Sizes for Stout Ladies. Brown, navy and black. From \$18.50..... \$9.50	
Odd Lot Ladies' Pure Wool Tailored Suits. From \$10.50, \$5.00 Each	
About 25 Fine Drummer's Sample Suits. Sold up to \$25, \$10.00	
<b>GREAT SLAUGHTER SALE OF HEAVY FLANNELETTE KIMONOS</b>	
Ladies' 25c and 39c Flannelette Kimonos, short. Thursday, 15c Each	
Ladies' \$1.00 Short Kimonos, 59c Each	
Ladies' \$1.00 Long Kimonos, 69c Each	
Odd Lot Ladies' House Dresses, percale. Sold for \$1.00. This sale ..... 59c Each	
175 Children's Red Rain Capes, a little imperfect, all sizes 6 to 14 years. Were \$2.00, 39c Each	
A few Ladies' Raincoats, odd lots for..... 50c Each	
25 Fine Slip-on Raincoats. From \$2.50 .....	\$1.19
Ladies' Heavy Corduroy Dress Skirts, brown, navy and black. From \$2.00..... \$1.19 Each	
100 Ladies' and Misses' Fine Serge Dress Skirts. From \$2.50 .....	\$1.49
Ladies' \$3.75 Dress Skirts, extra large ..... \$2.69 Each	
<b>PARENTS DODGE DUTIES</b>	
SHOULD SHOULDER MORE RESPONSIBILITY IN EDUCATIONAL WORK, SAYS MAYOR FITZGERALD	
<b>BOSTON, Jan. 1.—Parents should shoulder more responsibility in the education of their children than they are wont to do at present, and they should depend less on the schools, in Mayor Fitzgerald's opinion.</b>	
<b>In a message which he issued yesterday in response to a request of the "Fathers and Sons Movement" of Cleveland the mayor emphasized this belief.</b>	
<b>The mayor's statement follows:</b>	
<b>"The Fathers and Sons Movement of Cleveland has written to me asking me to issue a message on New Year's day, placing emphasis on the relation of fathers and sons. There is one particular function of that relation which I should like to emphasize.</b>	
<b>"Parents are much too apt to allow the schools to take the whole responsibility for the education of their children. They forget that the schools control only about one-seventh of the child's life—five hours of the 24 five days in the week or 1200 of the 8760 hours of the year.</b>	
<b>"If we are to have children educated in the true sense of the word, parents must supervise the six-sevenths of life outside the schools as carefully as the teachers watch and guard the school life.</b>	
<b>"The hours actually spent in the school room are mostly spent in the acquirement of facts. It depends on the parents to furnish the most important part of a real education, inspiration and moral training that go into the development of a strong personality."</b>	
<b>The noon edition of The Sun is on sale by newsboys and at all news stands.</b>	
<b>THE ICE HARVEST</b>	
<b>Old Methods Used for Crops From Norway Lakes</b>	
<b>point prevents the blocks from slipping back onto the line and thus getting in the way of the oncoming train. He then guides the ice blocks to a place of safety, from which they are passed on to the store house by the mere act of pushing them there.</b>	
<b>Mrs. Mary Barry, a resident of this city for the past ten years, where she has successfully conducted a boarding house, has sold out her business and next week she will go to Joliet, Ill., where she will make her home.</b>	
<b>Begin the New Year by opening an account in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank. Saturday, January 3rd, is</b>	
<b>This is a Genuine Clean-Up Sale.</b>	
<b>We Carry No Goods Over.</b>	
<b>PRICES THE LOWEST EVER.</b>	

# THE ICE HARVEST

Old Methods Used for Crops From Norway Lakes

The methods used to obtain the ice harvest in Norway are very primitive, says a writer in the *Wide World Magazine*. To begin with, the ice lake is cut up by means of a small plow drawn by a pony. Two long cuts, with a space of 26 inches between them, are made along the lake and then men armed with huge saws cut the strip of ice separated into blocks each 26 inches square.

The next step is to take the blocks of ice to the storehouses, at which the ice ships can call. The first state of the journey is simple enough. The ice harvester have already cut a channel in the lake. Could anything be easier than pushing the blocks of ice along the channel so made? This argues, of course, that some of the blocks are first removed from one end of the channel. They are taken to the head of a slippery way, from which point they are in position for the final journey overland.

These slippery roads run one treacherously the modern switchback railroads. The ice blocks are allowed to slide along a set of very rough and ready wooden rails hemmed in with wooden railings so that the ice blocks shall not slip away and be lost.

The ice block passes under the bank and its speed is checked considerably when it reaches the centre of the bank but it is not stopped entirely, and it goes on its journey at a much slower speed. In spite of the use of these brakes, however, the end of the journey is generally reached quickly, and means have to be devised for stopping the blocks at convenient places. One arrangement is to put some inclined planes at the end of the slippery road made of a trunk of a tree at the top of the planes. The ice blocks come rushing down the slippery and up to the plank. A man standing at this

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NEWS SEE LATER EDITIONS

# From Yesterday's Late Editions

## NEW INDUSTRIES NEW BUILDINGS

### Added to Lowell's Growth in 1913 —Several Thriving Industries— Many Buildings

With the close of the year it may be well to review conditions in this city as well as what was done during the past 12 months in the line of attracting new industries to Lowell.

The Lowell board of trade, which is noted for the valuable services rendered the city, was again active and through the untiring efforts of its members, new concerns were induced to locate in Lowell and it may be said that all are fully satisfied with their new places of operations, for the Spindle City is noted for the efficiency of its help.

One of the most important industries to locate in Lowell during the past year was the Patterson Rubber Co., which erected a large plant in Middlesex street near the city line, and white automobile tires are manufactured. This company started in Lowell with a small force and now several hundred men earn their daily bread there. The company is doing a prosperous business and it is now planning an addition as large as the main building.

Although much has been said about the car shops of the Boston & Maine railroad, it may be well to mention a few words about the plant, where 13 buildings for the manufacture of cars and the repairing of locomotives were constructed. This tremendous industry is located in Billerica, but Lowell will benefit by it as Lowell was instrumental in having it located there. The machines are all installed and operations will soon be started.

Messrs. Charles S. Dodge and Harlan Scammon started a company, known as the Alr-Yuc Mfg. Co. and they located in Lowell. These people occupy a large building at 41 Payne street and the production of the company is vacuum cleaners.

The New England Cable Co., manufacturers of insulated wire, is another company that started operations in this city during the past year. The company occupies the old Stolt mill in Hovey street and they report excellent business.

Several other small industries found Lowell good enough for them and have opened plants within its limits. Business has been prosperous in all the cotton mills and shoe shops, while the merchants also report good business during the past 12 months.

## FIRE INSURANCE

### Change Relative to Cancellation of Policies in Effect Tomorrow

The following act relative to the cancellation of policies by fire insurance companies will go into effect tomorrow:

**Section 1**—An insurance company issuing fire insurance policies on property in this commonwealth under the standard form required by law may cancel any such policy in the manner provided by law without tendering to the insured the ratable proportion of the premium, if the premium has not been paid to the company or its agent or to a duly licensed insurance broker through whom the contract of insurance was negotiated.

**Section 2**—There shall be printed on the margin of the policy near the part thereof that relates to cancellation, in type not smaller than long primer, or attached to such policy by rider in the form permitted by law the following: If the premium on this policy has not been paid to the company or its agent or to the duly licensed insurance broker through whom the contract of insurance was negotiated, this policy may be cancelled by the company in the manner herein provided without tendering to the insured any part of the premium.

**Section 3**—This act shall take effect on the first day of January nineteen hundred and fourteen.

#### New Buildings

There were several large buildings erected in this city in the course of this year, among which were the following: Addition to coal pocket and boiler house of the Bay State Street Railway Co., and a large car barn, the total cost of which was about \$100,000.

Work was started on the rebuilding of St. John's Baptist church at a cost of about \$150,000; addition to the Lawrence Mfg. Co.'s storehouse, Perkins street; addition to the United States Cartridge Co., Lawrence street; addition and alterations to the power house of the Merrimack Mfg. Co., in Dutton street; the Dillon Dye Works in East Merrimack street; a tar refining plant for the Lowell Gas Light Corp., in School street; a new club house for the Germans in Plain street; a new theatre at 507 Merrimack street; alterations and addition of two stories at the Lowell Inn, new barn for the Harvard Drawing Co., and extensive additions to its bottling plant; large storehouse for the Lowell Bleachery Co., in Bleachery street; alterations and the building of a new theatre in the old Boston & Maine depot in Central street; power plant and other additions for manufacturing purposes to the Waterhead mills; remodeling of Chinese restaurants in Merrimack street.

Large apartment houses were constructed in Merrimack and Moody streets, while handsome residences were built in the Highlands, Clark road and Andover street. The grand stand of the Lowell baseball club was reconstructed, and a vault at the police station was built at a cost of about \$10,000. Four fire houses, Gorham street, Branch street, Lawrence and High streets, were remodeled at a total cost of about \$15,000, while an addition to the Greenhalge school was started, the cost of which will be about \$35,000.

A number of buildings were started last year and were completed this year, among which are the K. of C. club house in Anne street, Patterson Rubber Co., in Middlesex street, St. Peter's school in Gorham street, St. Peter's orphanage in Stevens street, French-American orphanage in Pawtucket street, the Page building and several others. Despite all this work, however, there was a decrease of about \$300,000 in buildings, comparing with the year 1912.

bers are George N. Towle, chairman, Frederick H. Curtis, Paul E. Fitzpatrick, Allan Forbes, Archibald McLellan, Charles A. Morris, ex-President Joseph B. Russell and Prof. O. M. W. Sprague.

## SEC. LANE ACTS

### He Wants Congress to Protect Radium as Cancer Cure

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The medical discovery that radium may prove efficient as a remedy for cancer has prompted Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, to ask congress to pass



a law empowering the president to reserve to the United States all rights and ownership in radium bearing ores found in public lands. Experts of the federal bureau of mines have been conducting searches for radium bearing lands and have located tracts in various sections of the country. The secretary of the interior would have congress authorize the president to withdraw such lands in order that the government may retain control of the ores which contain the powerful curative mineral known as radium.

#### TO REPORT TOMORROW

BOSTON, Dec. 31.—A special committee of the Boston chamber of commerce, appointed to consider the question of making New England a federal reserve district under the new currency law and the establishment of a regional reserve bank in Boston, will make its report to the directors at their meeting tomorrow afternoon.

The committee, composed of bankers and business men, has conferred with other men of affairs and held a meeting yesterday afternoon. Its mem-

## Stock Market Closing Prices, Dec. 31st

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

#### NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Clos
Amal Copper	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
Am Can	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Am Can pd	83 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
Am Car & Fr	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Am Loco pf	96 1/2	95 1/2	96 1/2
Am Smelt & R	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Am Sugar Rfn	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Am Smelt & R	110 1/2	109	110 1/2
Acadonia	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Atch & S	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Balt & Ohio	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Br Rap Tran	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Canadian Pd	205 1/2	205 1/2	206 1/2
Cast I Pipe	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
C I Pipe	40	40	40
Cent Leather	27	26 1/2	27
Ches & Ohio	60 1/2	59	59
Chi Pub	25	27 1/2	28
Del & Hudson	155	150	155
Dix Seac Co	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Erie	25	25 1/2	25
Erie 1st pf	44	44	44
Gen Elec	139 1/2	138 1/2	139 1/2
Gen N Ore	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Ind Met Com	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int Pkwy pf	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Kan City So	22	22	22
Kan & Tex	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Lelhigh Valley	150 1/2	149 1/2	149 1/2
Miss Cent	10	10	10
Missouri Pa	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
N Y Central	92	92	92
Nor' West	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
North Pac	109 1/2	109	109
Ont & West	27	27	27
People's Gas	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Penn Central	121 1/2	119 1/2	121 1/2
Pressed Steel	27	27	27
Reading	165	165	165 1/2
Rep I & S pf	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
St Paul	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
So Pac	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Southern Ry	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Tenn Copper	33 1/2	32	32
Third Ave	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Union Pac	135 1/2	134 1/2	135 1/2
Union Pac pf	185	185	185
U S Rub	58	58	58
U S Steel pf	106 1/2	106	106
Utah Copper	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Wab R R pf	8	8	8
Westinghouse	64 1/2	64	64 1/2
Western Union	65 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2

#### COTTON SPOT

Cotton spot closed steady. Middling uplands, 12.60. Middling uplands, 12.85. Sales, 11,500 bales.

#### BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Dec. 31.—Trading early today was along narrow lines and in small lots. Values were steady and noon prices were fractionally higher.

## CHANGES WERE SLIGHT

### FEW STRONG SPOTS IN EARLY MARKET—QUIET IN AFTERNOON—CLOSED FIRM

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Although there were a few strong spots in the early market today changes in most cases were slight. The uncertain trend of prices yesterday left speculators in doubt as to which way to turn, but the underlings was apparently firmer. American Ice rose 2 1/4 in response to the strong showing made in its annual report. Reading, Norfolk and Western, and Texas Co. gained one and New Haven 1 1/2. The Harriman stocks were slightly lower, but most speculative shares made small gains. Bidding up of special stocks gave tone to the whole list today and although progress upwards was slow, the market was firm. Trading on the long side was encouraged by the absence of bear attacks, such as have been made recently and the cessation of varied selling of scattered investment holdings. Business was limited.

Holders of long stock took the small profits that were in sight toward the close of the forenoon and prices sagged easily to about yesterday's close.

The market lay quiet in the afternoon and except in a few cases prices were not changed appreciably.

American Telephone was exceptionally heavy and yielded two points. Buying of

Texas Co. continued and it climbed six points. This placed it up 12 points on the week, the highest figure for the year and obtained in the money market.

Call loans were renewed at six per cent and the rate then shaded off to four.

The market closed firm. Weakness persisted in American Telephone, the price falling to 118 1/2 ex-div. Elsewhere there was a decided undercurrent of firmness. Net changes were inconsequential.

#### COTTON FUTURES

December ..... 12.10  
January ..... 11.97  
March ..... 12.31  
May ..... 12.27  
July ..... 12.30  
October ..... 11.70

Open Close

Call money strong 3 1/2 per cent; ruling rate 6; last loan 3 1/2; closing day 3 1/2.

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BOND MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Mercantile paper 5, 1-2a per cent. Sterling exchange strong, 60 days 451 50; demand 485 50; commercial bills 489 34-3.

Bar silver 57 3-8. Mexican dollars 44 1-2. Government bonds firm; railroad bonds steady.

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MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Montreal's water famine by laying steel pipe in the soft foot break in the intake conduit, failed today and another day or two probably will pass before the trouble is remedied.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 31.—Seth Jones of Franklin assumed today his duties as collector of internal revenue.

General Mitchell, vice president of the American Bankers Association, had been sent to the dockyard to meet him.

MONTRÉAL, Dec. 31.—Elizabeth Miller, 22, employed as a cigarmaker, was in danger of death today as a result of an alleged attack by a policeman needle worker at her home late night.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Glynn, Mills, Currie & Co., the English bankers, have not yet received instructions to pay the coupons due today on the three per cent and five per cent Mexican international bonds.

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—The Chicago Federal League and the St. Louis City Federal team will train at Beaumont, Texas, next spring, according to Joe Tinker, manager of the local team.

LAREDO, Texas, Dec. 31.—Twenty-four federal agents were killed and many wounded in three engagements made against the constitutionalists at Rodriguez, 40 miles south of Monterrey, according to federal reports today.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The army got through the year 1913 with only two cases of typhoid fever, in the enlisted strength of more than 60,000 officers and men. One was that of a man who had not been immunized with the typhoid vaccine and was believed to have contracted the fever before he enlisted, the other case was among the troops in China, and though the man was immunized in 1911 the history of the case is in doubt.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 31.—"We are here to further the purpose of this movement to Christianize the entire world and it can be done with your help," said Dr. John Mott of New York.

In opening the quadrennial convention of the student volunteer movement for foreign missions here today, five thousand college students

FOR LATE LOCAL AND TELEGRAPH  
NEWS SEE LATER EDITIONS

FOR REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING  
STOCK MARKET SEE LATER EDITIONS

# RESTRAINING ORDER OUT

# BARRETT RESENTS

# CRITICISM PRINTED IN MORNING PAPER

# TOIL HARDER THAN SLAVES

The office of Qua, Howard and Rogers, attorneys for the remonstrants in the selection of the Pillsbury site for a contagious hospital, this morning filed a petition of 15 citizens with Judge Crosby of Boston. The judge issued a temporary injunction restraining the municipal council from taking any action on the matter until a hearing has been held and the date set for the hearing is Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

#### BILL IN EQUITY

The bill in equity after stating at length the action taken by the municipal council makes the following appeal to the court.

Wherefore the plaintiffs pray:

First. That said alleged order of the municipal council passed on December 23, 1913, may be declared illegal and void.

Second. That said city of Lowell and said Andrew G. Stiles, city treasurer, be restrained by injunction from making any payment of money to the defendant George H. Pillsbury under said alleged order.

Third. That the defendant Charles D. Paige, city auditor of said city, be restrained by injunction from issuing any drafts for the payment of said

sum to the defendant George H. Pillsbury.

Fourth. That the defendants James J. O'Donnell, Andrew E. Barrett, George H. Brown, Lawrence Cummings and James E. Donnelly be restrained by injunction from purchasing the property of the defendant George H. Pillsbury as aforesaid.

Fifth. That pending the determination of the matter of this bill, a temporary injunction be issued to restrain the defendants from doing any and all of said acts.

Sixth. That pending the preliminary hearing of the matter of this bill, an interim injunction be issued to restrain the defendants from doing any and all of said acts.

Signed,

Larkin T. Trull  
William A. Mitchell  
Charles L. Hood  
John J. Harvey  
Frederick N. Wier  
Charles H. Hobson  
William H. Wilson  
Patrick Kelley  
Harry Dunlap  
G. Forrest Martin  
Rodriguez Mignault  
Edward W. Clark  
Arthur J. Murkland  
John L. Robertson  
William T. Shepard.

The comparative cost of the building of the Middlesex street sewer in 1905 and the building of the extension of the same sewer in 1912 was taken up at an adjourned meeting of the municipal council this forenoon and a resumption of the discussion of the figures, for they had been discussed in part yesterday, was productive of sharp exchanges between Commissioner Brown and John H. Murphy, secretary of the Lowell board of trade.

Mr. Murphy appeared before the council yesterday, representing the Patterson Public company, and asking that the company's sewer built in Middlesex street be abated on the ground that the cost of the sewer extension built in 1912 was exorbitant as compared with the cost of the sewer in 1905. He included that the great cost was due to the fact that the sewer was built during election time.

To this statement Mr. Brown took exception. Mr. Brown was commissioner of streets and highways in 1905 and he said that Mr. Murphy's insistence was aimed at him. He asked to be allowed time to have a comparative report prepared and the report was submitted to the municipal council this morning.

The report was on hand this morning and so was Mr. Murphy. He had seen a copy of the report and had found an error in the figures, which added nearly as much to the excavation in 1912 as would cover all of the excavation in 1905. He renewed his contention of yesterday that the cost per cubic foot in 1912 was much greater than in 1905.

"There isn't any excuse for the glaring mistake appearing in the report as submitted by Mr. Brown," said Mr. Murphy. "One did not have to go beyond multiplication and division to prepare the report," he continued, "and it looks as if somebody should go back to school or perhaps Lowell should have more schools."

"I think that the report supplies cause for investigation or perhaps somebody should be given a course in efficiency. I made the statement yesterday that figures can't lie but that they can figure."

**Mr. Brown Replies**

"I do not think any lengthy remarks are necessary," said Mr. Brown. "I am not an expert accountant or civil engineer," he continued, "and I have taken the figures as submitted from Mr. Farnham. I believe he is competent in every way and I do not think this council should rely upon the figures of Mr. Murphy, secretary of the Lowell board of trade.

If we grant the abatement other abutters will ask for an abatement and justify, too. The Parker heirs are not finding any fault but if the abatement, as asked for by Mr. Murphy, is allowed, we must expect a like abatement.

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET, to men at the Y. M. C. A., 212 Merrimack st., \$2.50 weekly, electric lights and shower baths on each floor. A home for young men away from home.

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wolves, bears, and other animals are killed off by forest officers.

**Gam Protection**

In connection with the grazing work, the forests serve to protect game, and the Wichita forest, with its buffalo herd, is one of the show places of Oklahoma. During the year the service cooperated with the biological survey in placing over two hundred elk on various national forests. A large number of streams were stocked with trout fry.

**Chains on National Forests**

A large part of the report is devoted to a discussion of various kinds of claims under which title to land within the forests is sought. Nearly a thousand homesteads were taken up under a special act which provides for opening to settlement land suitable for agriculture. The report states, however, that some old homestead claims were instituted for the purpose of securing timber, and the same is still true of some mining claims.

An attempted fraud under the mining laws was usually resorted to by interests in no way associated with mining, similarly the vast majority of homestead frauds are not chargeable to practical farming; but the appeal to popular prejudice has been made in the name of the mining industry and in the name of the farmers of the country.

**Mining Claims**

"The mining laws," Mr. Graves says, "afford the greatest cloak for land frauds in the national forests, and fraudulent mining claims are initiated by men and interests having no connection whatever with the mining industry." The mining laws, for example, have been used to cover towns and timber claims, to secure fairs and ranches, to secure mineral springs, sites for saloons, water power sites, and stock watering places.

It has often been asserted that the national forests have operated as a bar to legitimate mining development. Figures collected in Colorado during the past year show that, if anything, there is more activity in prospecting on the national forests than outside.

"As with the stock industry, the proper relations of the forest service with the mining industry should be cooperative."

**Classifying Lands**

One of the largest tasks of the service during the past year has been the classification of lands within the national forests in respect to their highest future use. This work was undertaken during 1913 on a more comprehensive scale than ever before, because there was a specific appropriation for the purpose. Large areas are being classified where the amount of land chiefly valuable for agriculture warrants it being taken out of the forests, and it also takes care of areas on which detailed classification will disclose small areas suitable for agricultural development within the forests.

**Cooperation With States**

Cooperation with states in protecting forested watersheds from fire has brought about a cooperative field organization in fifteen states and the three others.

**Water Power Development**

The development of water power upon the national forests increased rapidly during the year, particularly in California. It is the purpose of the service to encourage power development in every possible way, while safeguarding the interests of the public. The minimum output from the permits now in force is nearly \$600 thousand horsepower.

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# EXCITEMENT AT CITY HALL

## JUDGE ENRIGHT GIVES ADVICE

Started New Year by Refraining From Imposing a Single Imprisonment on Offenders

Judge Enright started the new year off this morning in the local police court by refraining from imposing a single imprisonment upon every defendant case of too much brother-in-law.

The defendant is working in New Bedford and has not been giving his wife the maintenance which she considered was due her. His defense was that the husband of his dead sister was too friendly with his wife. Judge Enright continued the case for a month in the hopes that the couple would reach some mutual agreement.

## FUNERALS

**BURNS**—The funeral of Master W. Howard Burns, beloved son of Joseph and Katherine (Howard) Burns, took place this morning at 11 o'clock from the home of his parents, 144 Chapel street, due to the cause of death the funeral was private. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker James H. McDermott had charge.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

**LAWLER**—The funeral of Thomas H. Lawler will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 72 Banks street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church. Friends are requested not to send flowers. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral in charge of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**O'BRIEN**—The funeral of Mrs. Mary O'Brien will take place Friday morning from her home, 329 Washington street (L. M. S. Corp.). At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. In charge of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**DOHERTY**—The funeral of the late John J. Doherty will take place Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock from his late home in Cumberland road, Somerville, high mass at St. Michael's church at 9:30 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. In charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

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## POINT AT ISSUE

Alderman Brown and Board of Trade Secretary Had Another Battle—Mayor Adjourns Meeting in Wild Confusion—Row Over Request for Sewer Abatement

The new year was begun at city hall with an uproarious meeting and it looked for a time as if the way was being paved to a personal encounter between Mayor O'Donnell and Alderman Brown. The gallory and side seats were all filled when the roost started. Alderman Brown was the first man to the front. He read a statement made yesterday by Secretary John J. Murphy of the Lowell board of trade. The statement was to the effect that he could not be held responsible in making this statement yesterday. Mr. Murphy did not mention Mr. Brown's name, but after careful perusal and proper digestion Mr. Brown decided he

was the man that the words were aimed at. It all came about in this way. Mr. Murphy, representing the Patterson Rubber Co., appeared before the council and asked for an abatement of sewer taxes for 1912 on the ground that the bill was exorbitant. He took for his premises the fact that the cost of sewer work in Middlesex street in 1912 was almost double the cost of sewer work done there in 1909. Mr. Brown had started all sewer work in 1912, being at that time "commissioner" of streets and highways.

The matter of the abatement was first taken up on Tuesday, continued

until yesterday, continued again and resumed today. It is still in the air because the mayor was obliged to adjourn the meeting this forenoon on account of the storm that threatened to envelop the councilmanic chamber.

## What Took Place

Mayor O'Donnell called to order at 11:30 o'clock, the meeting having been delayed because of a meeting of the planning board which the mayor had to attend. Alderman Barrett and Donnelly were not present at the meeting of the council. Mr. Donnelly was absent.

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## INITIATIVE PAPERS OUT ON THE HOSPITAL ISSUE

Movement to Force a Special Election to Allow the Voters of Lowell to Settle the Question

As citizens are aware, ever since the present city government voted to acquire the Dr. Pillsbury property for contagious hospital purposes, the Andover street residents have been seeking to prevent this property coming into the hands of the city for that purpose.

For some days they have been circulating what they tell the people as petitions for a referendum, and many people have signed these petitions in the belief that the voters would have an opportunity to vote upon this question. It now appears that some of these Andover street people are quietly stating that they do not expect the people will finally have an opportunity to vote on this subject, but that the referendum petitions will accomplish their object by suspending under the charter for another ten days the vote of the present city government to acquire the Pillsbury place.

But before these added ten days will have expired the new city government will have become inaugurated, and evidently the Andover street residents have faith to believe that the next city government will not permit the contagious hospital to be located in Belvidere, and the new government can accomplish that purpose by reconsidering and repealing the vote of the present government.

In order absolutely to secure a vote of the people on the location of the contagious hospital, petitions for the initiative under clause 60 of the charter are now being circulated for signatures, and upon the filing of the proper number of names (some 2600 or 2700) the new government will be required to submit to the voters the question whether the hospital shall be located on the Pillsbury property.

Therefore, every voter who wishes to vote upon the question of locating this contagious hospital should certainly sign the petition for the initiative, and many voters in their anxiety to secure an opportunity to vote on this

subject are signing the referendum petitions also.

The new city government can if it sees fit take such action as will prevent a vote by the people if only referendum petitions are filed, but with the necessary number of names promptly filed upon petitions for the initiative, it is difficult to see how the matter can be prevented from coming before the voters.

In view of the trouble and delay the city government has had in locating this contagious hospital, the people in each section of the city objecting to every site mentioned in their locality, it begins to look as though the hospital would never be located until the people themselves had fixed the location by their votes. Meanwhile, the attorney-general, under the statute, is proceeding against the city to collect a \$500 fine for delay and repeated fines can be imposed upon each added complaint. The Andover street people do not object to the location of this hospital in Centralville or the Highland or Pawtucketville or at the end of the Lawrence street car line or at the end of any line of street cars which does not pass through Andover street.

But their complaint is that a choice residential section like Andover street should not be chosen for contagious hospital purposes. If the people do not ratify the selection of the Pillsbury property, then the whole problem will be reopened and the final resting place for the hospital will become wholly uncertain. The Andover street people have alleged that the city would in the end save money by taking some of the poor farm land on Chelmsford street, but it is well known that this site was examined recently by the state board of health and was not one of the locations which in the report to the city government was called suitable. Perhaps this site was rejected because it stood only 20 feet above a large adjoining swamp which really constitutes the head of Hale's brook and would be a most unhealthy lo-

cation for victims of tuberculosis.

Furthermore, people suffering from tuberculosis and from the other contagious diseases such as measles, chicken pox, scarlet fever, etc., will not wish to be regarded as paupers, as would be the case if they were inmates of a contagious hospital located on the poor farm land. Many people have felt that for this reason the recent enthusiastic endorsement of the poor farm site for a contagious hospital by Andover street residents, possesses an element of brutal harshness and lack of consideration for the feelings of the people who will be sent to the institution.

## DEATHS

**CAHILL**—The many friends of Mrs. Catherine Cahill, wife of the late James Cahill, will be pained to hear of her death which occurred this morning. She is survived by her daughter Mary and a host of friends. For many years she has been a resident of the Immaculate Conception parish. Funeral notice later. Please omit flowers. Undertaker Davy in charge.

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## CITY PLANNING BOARD MEETS

Organized This Morning at City Hall—Jesse Crook Selected as Secretary

The first meeting of the planning board for the city of Lowell was held in the mayor's reception room at city hall this forenoon.

The members of the planning board in act in such form as may seem proper; and the commission is further authorized and directed to furnish information and suggestions from time to time to city governments and to local planning boards, such as may, in its judgment, tend to promote the purposes of the act and those for whom the commission was established.

The city council is authorized to make suitable ordinances for carrying out the purposes of the act, and they may appropriate money therefor.

Next week is "Quarter Week" at the Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

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## Athletes and Athletics

The many friends of Henry Bailey, last year's captain of the high school track team and all around athlete, will be greatly disappointed to learn that he has been forced out of athletics for the remainder of the year at least by an injury to his ankles. The physicians are not certain yet as to the nature of the injury but have warned Henry to keep out of track athletics this winter.

The best road lawyers in the country are at a loss as to the respective standings of player and club owners. The counsel for the Federal League has announced that if the two major organizations try to cojoin any of their players that he will prosecute them criminally under the Sherman mail-trust law. On the other hand Ban Johnson is delighted at the thought of a battle with the Federals. If you believe us you'll bet on Ban Johnson not to be last in any race he ever enters.

Frank Klaus until his recent decisive defeat by George Chip, middle-weight champion of the world, retires from the ring in a position of independence. Klaus unless he throws his savings away, will never have to work again. His manager claims that the Dutchman has banked well over \$100,000 in his ring career. Klaus has the reputation of being a square boxer and has always been on the level with the promoters.

Dan Cloehey has announced that he will surely give Haverhill a ball club next season. The only possible obstacle which could have stood in the way seems to have been cleared up for Dan asserts with vehemence that he has at last secured suitable grounds for his club. The Haverhill Baseball association which owns the old grounds will be the big loser if the new park is erected.

By the same token baseball affairs in Lynn are not at all what they were a year ago. To begin with last year's aggregation did not land so high as the papers and public thought for and in the second place their park is likely to be sold. If the latter event realigns through the owners will be in a bad way for Ocean Park is the only enclosed diamond where organized baseball could be played in Lynn.

J. D. Sweeney added another victory to his long New England life by defeating Battling Terry of Brooklyn in Marbleville. R. L. Terry was all but gone in the seventh round when the referee stopped the bout. One of the first New England nights that Sweeney slice his marriage last season.

### CONCORD LEAGUE

Brownies Win From Arlington in Only Contest—Martin Was High Man Last Night

The Brownies had an easy time last night with the Arlington. In their Concord league match on the Y. M. C. A. alleys taking two out of the three strings and winning the game by the

score of 1223 to 1272. Martin of the winning team was high man with 232 for a total and 103 for a single. The score:

Arlington: King, 226; Hamilton, 255; Devine, 255; Pope, 256; Moran, 270; total, 1272.  
Brownies: T. Clark, 273; Martin, 232; Smith, 263; Conneanen, 230; Murphy, 325; total, 1238.

## HOLDS RECORD FOR CONTINUOUS PLAY WITH ONE BALL TEAM



Fred Clarke, the great captain-manager of the Pittsburgh National baseball team, has signed his twenty-first consecutive contract with the Pirate team. This is the record for continuous service with a single big league team, and yet Clarke played the game last year with all the vim that one

could expect of a youngster. Clarke isn't worrying about discovering the fountain of youth. He doesn't have to.

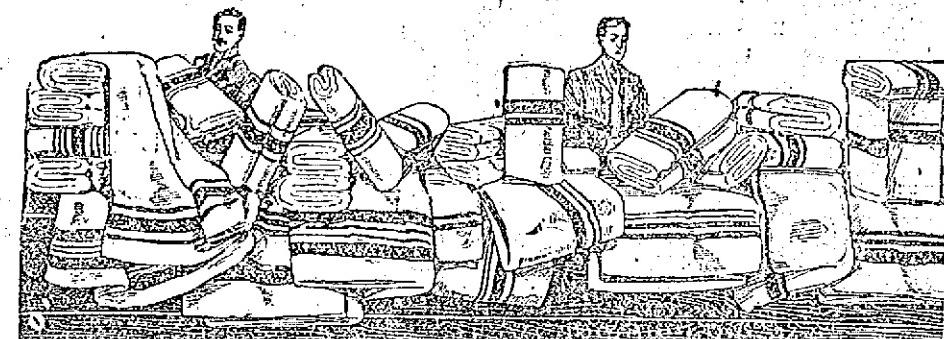
### Y. M. C. A. SOCIAL

A well enjoyed social under the auspices of the high school committee was held at the Y. M. C. A. last evening and the affair was well attended. The

program of music, dramatics and com-

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every game proved a big success.

The musical and dramatic efforts were produced by Paul T. Savage, violinist; Grace Kendrick, soloist; Marjorie Arnold, reader, and Edward Dilts, pianist.

Every number rendered by these entertainers was heartily appreciated by those present.

Charles Barton and Edward Leadbetter, in "The Indescribable Plugs," gave their audience a hearty laugh by their inability of countenance during

their part of the program.

Walter French and Alfred Fletcher were the winners of the amusing needle threading contest.

Hugo Markland won the under water contest. In the swimming pool and exhibitions in aquatics were given by Charles Barton, Guy McLeod, John Merritt, Merrill Morris and Donald Fletcher.

Moving pictures under the management of Ernest Orroll were the

closing feature of the program.

The committee in charge of the successful affair were as follows: Guy McLeod, chairman; Emil Hartford, president; Jefferson Mansfield, Merrill Morris and Raymond Leland. The patrons of the evening were F. A. Bowen, president of the association; Miss Alice Stickney and Miss Alice Richardson.

## NEW DRUG LAW

All Pharmacists in State  
Must be Licensed—  
New Rules

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—With the starting of the new year, the state board of pharmacy will enforce some new regulations for the protection of the public at large. An act passed at the last session of the legislature and inserted in chapter 705 makes it compulsory for a registered druggist to be present in a store whenever a prescription or a drug of dangerous character is sold.

Besides this, all drug stores must be licensed and have the license posted in the store; all drug stores are to be subject to inspection, and any violation of the new rules of the state board may subject the druggist, if convicted, to a fine not to exceed \$100.

A great many druggists are under the impression that the new law, which takes effect today, forces them to shut up shop at such times as, being obliged to go out for meals, they have no registered drug clerk in their employ. This is not so, according to Agent Joseph C. Russell of the board of phar-

macy.

So far as carrying on any drug business is concerned it is true. But the registered druggist, proprietor or employee, in leaving an unregistered man to take care of the store until his return, is allowed to have his store sell such articles as would be sold in a grocery or any other store.

Massachusetts is the only New England state to enforce the licensing system. Its object, according to Mr. Russell, is to furnish the board with a great deal more information than it has heretofore been able to get. The application blank obliges the parties who operate the drug store to state its owner, whether it is a partnership, when the partnership was formed and the names of the registered and unregistered clerks. It calls attention to the fact that no unregistered partner of a store shall be actively engaged in the drug business.

The new law makes it clearly apparent that it is a violation for an unregistered clerk to sell what pharmacists call spiritus frumenti, and a great many people call "pooze." In the list of things the unregistered clerk may sell is Jamaica ginger and other essences which are intoxicating, but it does not make mention that spiritus frumenti may be sold.

A great many times druggists when arraigned in court for illegal sales of liquor have pleaded that sales were made by their clerks. But the new statute admits that the head of the store must instruct his force that no one in the store can sell liquor but a registered drug clerk.

The law does not bar the sale of patent and proprietary medicines or, in general, any of the drugs broadly described as being "good old-fashioned home remedies."

Some of the smaller dealers last year fought the proposed law on the ground that its enforcement would mean that they must hire registered drug clerks. The state board of pharmacy disclaims this and says that the sole reason for the law is to have drug stores registered and have the responsibilities definitely placed for prescriptions which may have been bungled in the compounding.

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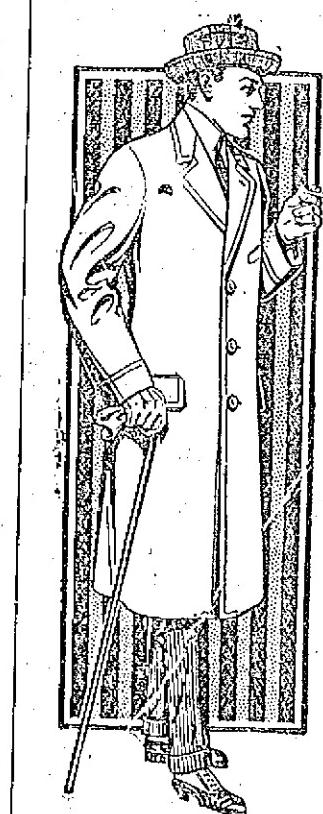
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Dr. Jacobi of New York Says Radium Cured Him of Cancer

CHICAGO, Jan. 1.—Search by police and hospital authorities failed to disclose any clue to 35 milligrams of radium, believed to have been lost or stolen several days ago while being used in the treatment of a cancer patient.

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The speck of radium was imported from France by St. Luke's hospital. It was kept in a platinum capsule an eighth of an inch in diameter and three-quarters of an inch long. Its last appearance known to the hospital staff was when the capsule was placed in an incision in the arm of a woman patient. After several treatments it was found that the capsule was inactive. The capsule was opened and it was found that the radium was gone. It would be impossible to sell the



missing bit of radium, it was said. A record is kept of every particle known to exist in the world, and this piece is on that register.

### CURED OF CANCER

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Dr. Abraham Jacobi, the well known medical practitioner, says he has been cured of cancer by radium, but that the public should not assume too quickly that radium will cure all forms of cancer completely. "I am a living example of the cure," says Dr. Jacobi.

## WATCHED NEW YEAR IN

Services in Five Churches—Large Congregation and Singing at St. Anne's Church

Watch night services, under the auspices of the Federation of Churches, were held in five of the local churches with large congregations at each. The scene at St. Anne's was a most impressive one. The church was packed to the doors when at 10.15 o'clock the vestry choir sang carols in the church yard. At 10.45 the organist, Charles E. Brown, gave a brief organ recital. Then the doors of the choir room were thrown open, and the procession of choir boys and men entered, followed by the Guild of St. Cecilia, and by the visiting clergymen and the rector and curate. They sang the processional hymn as they marched down one aisle and up another to the chapel.

In the service Rev. N. W. Matthews and Rev. A. C. Ferrin read the lessons. Rev. Apolito Grannas preached a brief sermon, and the service was closed with silent prayer, the congregation remaining on their knees until the church bells announced the midnight hour. The music of the choirs greeted the New Year and familiar hymns were played as the congregation left the church.

**Highland Methodist**

At the Highland M. E. church, beginning at 10 o'clock, communion service was held, and at 10.45 o'clock the sacred music program was begun. Mrs. Leroy Smith and Mrs. Grace Baker were the soloists. Rev. J. M. Craig of the First Presbyterian church spoke at considerable length, and he was followed by Rev. W. Henry McLean, who preached a sermon on "The Serious Dawn of the New Year."

**French Baptist Church**

The other churches in which watch night services were held were the First Baptist, Highland Methodist, St. Paul's M. E. and French Baptist churches. At 10.30 o'clock at the First Baptist church the organist, Wilfred Kershaw, gave a short organ recital and the Weber male quartet of Boston sang several selections. The formal program was opened about 11 o'clock, the doxology and invocation being given by Rev. James Bancroft of St. John's Episcopal church, and the responsive

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\$1.50 Pajamas .....	\$1.15
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50c Ribbed Shirts, Drawers....	39c
\$1 Wool Shirts and Drawers...	79c
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\$1.50 Ribbed Union Suits.....	\$1.15
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\$3.00 Sweaters .....	\$2.35
\$5.00 Sweaters .....	\$3.75
\$6.00 Sweaters .....	\$4.75
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\$2.50 Wool Lined Gloves.....	\$1.88
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\$5.00 Trousers .....	\$3.75
\$6.00 Trousers .....	\$4.75
\$2.50 Fancy Vests.....	\$1.65
\$3.50 Fancy Vests.....	\$2.35
\$5.00 and \$6.00 Raincoats	\$3.75
\$10.00 Raincoats.....	\$6.75
\$15.00 Raincoats.....	\$12.50
\$5.00 Bath Robes.....	\$3.75
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\$7.50 Bath Robes.....	\$5.75
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St. Paul's Methodist. The services lasted from

the watch night services at St. Paul's year. A testimonial meeting was held and familiar hymns were sung.

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## THE ICE HARVEST HARD TIMES DID IT

Old Methods Used for Crops From Norway Lakes

The methods used to obtain the ice harvest in Norway are very primitive, says a writer in the Wild World Magazine. To begin with, the ice lake is cut up by means of a small plow drawn by a pony. Two long cuts, with a space of 26 inches between them, are made along the lake, and then, with arms with hoes, says cut the strip of ice thus separated into blocks each 26 inches square.

The next step is to take the blocks of ice to the storeroom, at which the ice ships can call. The first stage of the journey is simple enough. The ice carriers have already cut a channel in the lake. Could anything be easier than pushing the blocks of ice along the channel so made? This argues, of course, that some of the blocks are first removed from one end of the channel. They are taken to the head of the slipway, from which point they are in position for the final journey overland.

These slipways remind one irresistibly of the modern switchback railroads. The ice blocks are allowed to slide along a set of very rough and ready wooden rails hemmed in with wooden railings so that the ice blocks shall not slip away and be lost. The ice block, passing under the plank and its speed is checked considerably when it reaches the centre of the walk but it is not stopped entirely, and it goes on its journey, at a much slower speed. In spite of the use of these breakers, however, the end of the journey is generally reached quickly, and means have to be devised for stopping the blocks at convenient places. One arrangement is to put some inclined planks at the end of the slipway and a rough and ready kind of "buffer" made of a trunk of a tree at the top of the planks. The ice blocks come rushing down the slipway and up to the planks. A man standing at this point prevents the blocks from slipping back onto the line and thus getting in the way of the oncoming train. He then guides the ice blocks to a place of safety, from which they are passed on to the store house by the mere act of pushing them there.

**DEATH TAKES ASTRONOMER**  
BOSTON, Jan. 1.—Professor Seth C. Chandler, who won fame as an astronomer, died yesterday at his home, 17 Cushing street, Wellesley, after a short illness.

Professor Chandler was one of the best-known astronomers in the country, having won several gold medals for research work.

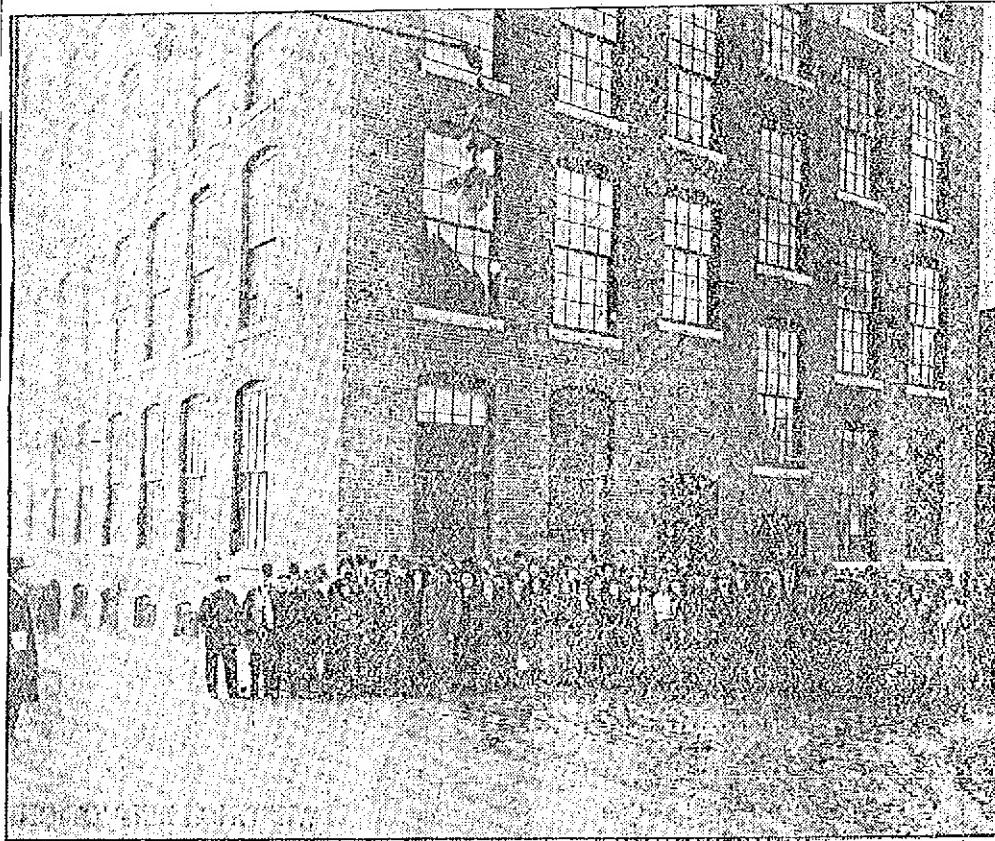
He was a member of the royal astronomy club of England, fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, foreign associate member of the Royal Astronomical Society of London and member of the American Academy of Science.

Professor Chandler was 67 years of age. He is survived by his wife and six children. The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon from the home, and burial will be in Mt. Auburn cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Barry, a resident of this city for the past ten years, where she has successfully conducted a boarding house, has sold out her business and next week she will go to Joliet, Ill., where she will make her home.

The production of the Lowell plant

## Musketaquid Mill Has Had Fairly Busy Season and Looks for Boom



THE MUSKETAQUID MILLS ON DAVIDSON STREET

The Musketaquid mill, a branch of the United States Worsted Co., one of the largest worsted industries in the country, situated at the corner of Howe and Davidson streets, is a busy plant although the full complement of help is not at work. The writer yesterday interviewed the superintendent, Berry Laycock, and from him learned a few facts concerning business conditions at the mill.

Weaving, dressing and a couple of other operations are being done in the local plant, while the finishing is done in the Lawrence plant. The yarn is manufactured at the Silesia mill in North Chelmsford and transported to

this plant, of this large concern consists of ladies' dress goods and men's wear goods, all of the worsted fabric. There are 380 looms in the building and 75 per cent of them are occupied. The full complement of help is about 150 but at the present time only 115 are employed, thus reducing the production about 25 per cent. Business has been in a fair condition for the past nine months, but with the new year setting in the official charge anticipates a boom in the manufacture of worsteds.

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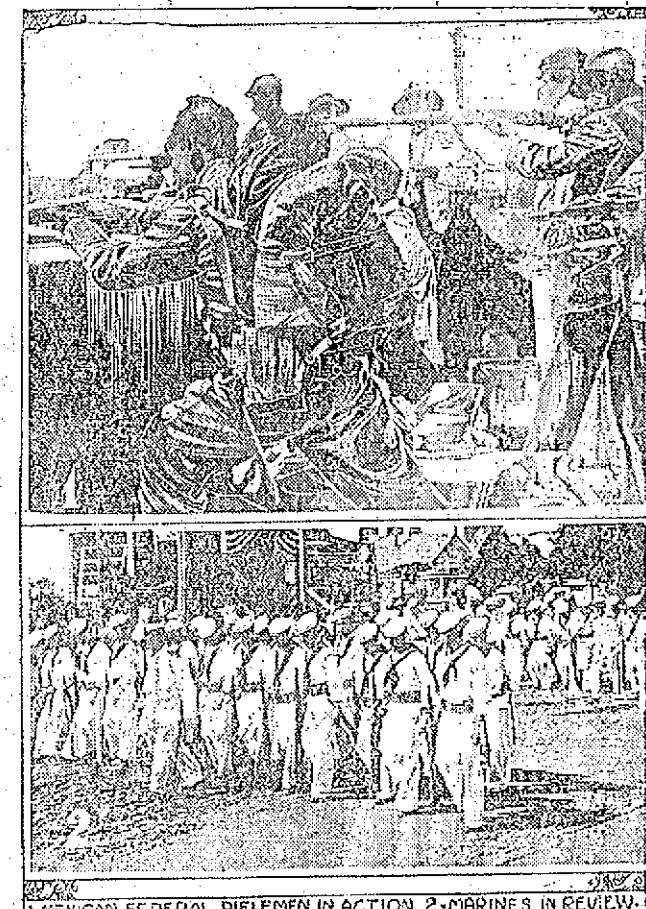
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## LATEST PICTURES OF HUERTA'S SOLDIERS AND U. S. MARINES



MEXICO CITY, Jan. 1.—The federal muster. In the illustration are shown photos of some of Huerta's marksmen in action and a detachment of marines from the United States ship Louisiana, who are ready to land on Mexican soil and aid in restoring order at any moment.

## PARENTS DODGE DUTIES

SHOULD SHOULDER MORE RESPONSIBILITY IN EDUCATIONAL WORK, SAYS MAYOR FITZGERALD

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—Parents should shoulder more responsibility in the education of their children than they are wont to do at present, and they should depend less on the schools, in Mayor Fitzgerald's opinion.

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## HAPPY NEW YEAR

To all our readers we cordially wish a happy and prosperous New Year. This depends in a great measure on a happy and prosperous city and it is encouraging to find the outlook so rosy on this first day of 1914. Business is booming, all our industries are running smoothly, there is no industrial strife among us, and most of our people are apparently contented. It is, therefore, with confidence we sincerely wish a happy New Year to all.

## APPLYING CURRENCY LAW

The approval of the currency bill voted by the directors of the Union National bank of this city, together with their application for membership in the list of federal reserve banks created under its terms, is but a local manifestation of "the sudden acceptance by public opinion everywhere" of the new currency bill. This acceptance was not given blindly with an unsuspecting trust in government claims or promises but only after the technicalities of the measure had been weighed well and compared with those in the old discarded financial system. For the first time in a generation a great reform, having to do with "free and elastic and uncontrolled credits," has been given to the country and applied to national financial problems with the approval of the public generally and the specific approval of those in whom, judging from precedent, one might have expected adverse criticism and opposition.

Were it not that the public was prepared by the success of the tariff revision to discredit all cries of calamity, it is probable that the attacks on the currency bill both before and after its enactment would have been far more violent than they were. The time is not far back when threats of panic and hypocritical portents of disaster to trade and industry were powerful party weapons in opposition to a disliked reform measure. With the passing of time and the exposure of the real malady back of this type of opposition, the public grew indifferent to the claims of its promoters and the belief became general that no party which pretends in the slightest degree to represent the public would dare sanction any measure that would bring partial or total industrial disaster. It has also been clearly demonstrated that even some comparatively slight defects should not be permitted to prevent action on a bill that would introduce a national reform; recent congressional hearings on some slight constructive flaws in the tariff bill show a way to remedy the little errors that take from the perfection of the whole. Even should the bill be only 75 per cent. good, as was alleged by Senator Weeks, it is better than the old financial system which, judging from the criticism of friends and foes alike and proved by past panics was over 75 per cent. bad. The clever reference of our own Congressman Rogers, who used the analogy of a bad egg in condemning the currency measure, falls flat when we realize that the bad egg cannot be remedied but that the 25 per cent. of unsoundness in the currency revision bill—admitting it to be there—can be eliminated within a short time by the same wise congressional judgment that put the 75 per cent. of good in its clauses.

One fact of the currency revision bill not generally known is that in its provisions are included most of the good features advocated after the exhaustive investigation conducted under the monetary commission headed by Nelson W. Aldrich. Some of the sections in the new bill are copied almost verbatim from the Aldrich report because they could not be improved. Among these is the idea of the federal reserve system which Aldrich upheld under a different name and under different management. The Aldrich plan would have placed the highest power over the finances of the country in the hands of bankers and financiers in the last analysis, or in other words, "high finance," but the Glass-Owen bill places it where it properly belongs, not in the hands of the government, but in the hands of bankers and financiers under the watchful supervision of the government.

Since the currency bill became law we have heard little or nothing of the dangers of "Inflation" or the other monetary dangers attributed in some quarters to the influence of Secretary Bryan. Instead we have seen the acceptance of the law by financiers and bankers generally with confidence and approval. Some of our own leading banks were the first to give practical illustration of their acceptance of its terms, and it may be asserted with confidence that practically all the banks eligible for membership in the chain of federal reserve banks will make application within the next month.

## EXPLOITING SHAME

Recently the pitiful tale of a wrong inflicted on a woman with a weak will at the hands of an unworthy lawyer at Monticello had the usual aftermath in offers of theatrical inducements to the wretched woman in the case. Whatever one may think of her or her strange story it is to her credit

that it should still apply to Mexico and Central America. Now it just happens that Mr. Hammond has important mining interests in Mexico and it looks as though the criticism of Mr. Bryan was voiced because this country has not poured out the blood of its soldiers like water to protect Mr. Hammond's financial interests. The arguments brought out by the indignant gentleman dealt altogether in trades and markets without reference to any very lofty ideals. If the United States will only modify its principles to safeguard Mr. Hammond's values, he will in all probability cease to advise us and even to criticize Mr. Bryan. But alas for the temper of the distinguished critic! The United States is not yet material enough to change the peace policy for the Hammond policy of greed protected by armadas. Mr. Hammond's proper place is in South Africa as leader of the Zulus.

Unfortunately the tendency to exploit and commercialize careers of sensationalism and shame is not confined to America. Europe has its hosts of entertainers whose special attraction is in their unlovely records. France, of course, heads the list with its mistresses of absolute nobles, its red widows, its pretended confidantes of kings, its murderesses, its hundreds of brazen actors and actresses whose lives are a blot on modern civilization, and sing before the gaze of the modern world that is so much interested foremost in all that concerns the "uplift of the race" and much else that is nonsensical under the guise of progressive thought.

Why does the public go to see men and especially women who have become famous in careers of shame? For the same reason that hundreds of tourists went to the Paris morgues until even that illustrious city grew sick at the sight and stopped the hideous exhibition—prurient curiosity. Some may allege higher motives, and champion the exploited heroism of vice. It is well. It is noble in fact. But it is not honest. Far better let the nobodies who have clung to theatrical eminence on the ladder of vice sink into merciful oblivion. Let us rather champion the wrongs at our door—the wives that are beaten, the weak who are striving valiantly against wrong, the silly girls that are beginning to sear their souls in the flame of temptation. We shall have clean plays when we refuse to go to a theatre conducted by a manager who would strive to make capital out of the wrecked life of such a woman as the wretched victim of the dead lawyer of Monticello.

**NEW AUTOMOBILE LAWS**

The regrettable number of our automobile accidents annually is not so much due to a lack of laws as to negligence in complying with those already on the statute books, nevertheless the new bill sanctioned and supported by the approval of the Automobile Legal association seems a step in the right direction. Its directness and simplicity at once recommend it, and if it is true, as its advocates allege, that it will define the right of way and do away with the confusion that is now responsible for a large number of accidents, it deserves to meet with the approval of the legislature. Here are the two sections of the easily understood bill:

**PRACTICAL UNCLE SAM**

Salem News: Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the Woman Suffrage association, bids fair to make the discovery that "Uncle Sam" is far more practical than gallant when it comes to dealing with the fair sex in respect of financial matters.

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Unfortunately the tendency to exploit and commercialize careers of sensationalism and shame is not confined to America. Europe has its hosts of entertainers whose special attraction is in their unlovely records.

France, of course, heads the list with its mistresses of absolute nobles, its red widows, its pretended confidantes of kings, its murderesses, its hundreds of brazen actors and actresses whose lives are a blot on modern civilization, and sing before the gaze of the modern world that is so much interested foremost in all that concerns the "uplift of the race" and much else that is nonsensical under the guise of progressive thought.

Why does the public go to see men and especially women who have become famous in careers of shame? For the same reason that hundreds of tourists went to the Paris morgues until even that illustrious city grew sick at the sight and stopped the hideous exhibition—prurient curiosity. Some may allege higher motives, and champion the exploited heroism of vice. It is well. It is noble in fact. But it is not honest. Far better let the nobodies who have clung to theatrical eminence on the ladder of vice sink into merciful oblivion. Let us rather champion the wrongs at our door—the wives that are beaten, the weak who are striving valiantly against wrong, the silly girls that are beginning to sear their souls in the flame of temptation. We shall have clean plays when we refuse to go to a theatre conducted by a manager who would strive to make capital out of the wrecked life of such a woman as the wretched victim of the dead lawyer of Monticello.

**SHRINKER HOURS**

Newport News: Laws reducing factory working hours are about to go into effect in Connecticut and New Hampshire, and despatches from Plainfield and Nashua announced that wages will not be lowered. But, said the wage earners, "we don't want to do so much work." There is a faint explanation of a kind in things that are dirty and revolting. But decent men and women try to overcome these feelings. They endeavor to lay a heavy hand upon them so that they will be crushed. They are ashamed of the fact that they could even have such feelings and hope to outrun them.

**AUTOMOBILE RACES**

Brockton Enterprise: Santa Monica, Cal., threatens to put on automobile road races again. They have fallen into disfavor in most other cities. They are very dangerous, they say, "nothing that matches makes and buyers have not had demonstrated a sufficient number of times, and they are perilous to spectators as well as riders." Nobody but a few daredevils would feel much the worse if the auto road races were prohibited everywhere.

**MEXICO AND JAPAN**

Woonsocket Call: Americans read with some wonderment and perhaps with pleasure the account of the reception of Japanese girls in the town of De La Barra. According to Associated Press despatches, the envoy was honored. He was welcomed and his arrival was marked by a great ovation. The Japanese had the opportunity of witnessing such a play for the adulation charged and that it is appreciated is plainly evident by the ever-increasing capacity audiences. A series of the latest and best photo-plays is also shown, and this too continues to draw large audiences. The Chinese Lady, "The Chinese Lady," is the most popular play contest, so voted by the patrons, and all the different members will again be given opportunity of displaying their recognized versatility.

**THE OPERA HOUSE**

Love will find a way, and two lovers prove their love in the latest feature, "The Invisible Love," at the Opera House today. This amusing comedy deals with a man about town, who takes his daughter Ethel to the beach in an effort to secure a rich husband for her. The father meets Bill, who has lots of money, but Ethel dislikes him. Bill secures the father's consent and marries Ethel. She is saved from drowning in a big tidal wave.

There is a sign that the young man is as popular as a twelve-ounce bottle of castor oil, as far as she is concerned.

**CINNAMON ENQUIRER**

One time there is a misdeal in a poker game some mutt is certain to and it pat flush in his hand and this gives him an opportunity to make his chair a Walling Place for the rest of the session.

Wonder what ever became of the old tad who used to pour his coffee into his saucer, whilst it around, blow bubbles of it and then strain it through his mustache in big gulps.

There's no fool like an old fool. The older they get the more flour they use on their faces.

Any time a girl goes to the front door in an old kimono and her own complexion when a young man calls, it is a sign that the young man is as popular as a twelve-ounce bottle of castor oil, as far as she is concerned.

**CINNAMON ENQUIRER**

— Money deposited this week, or next week, in the Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank goes on interest Saturday, January 3d.

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One Gyp the Blood necktie.

One Slipshy Klootchman muffler.

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One Mad Mullah stickpin.

One Aztec Joy-Jag smoking jacket.

One pair Cherokee Sun Dance socks.

One Bill Totem polo surrounded by an umbrella cover.

One Aurora Borealis Near-Silk handkerchief.

One box Pride of the Glue Factory perfume.

No reasonable offer refused. Address D. Timmons—Cincinnati Enquirer.

**VICE CRUSADE**

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—The largest vice crusade ever conducted by the Malden police, which was begun over two months ago, resulted yesterday in 13 young men and women receiving sentences in the Malden district court to Lancaster, Sherborn and the house of correction.

The court session was held closed doors before Judge Foley and lasted throughout the day. The jail became so great outside the court house on Pleasant street during the afternoon, when a verdict had not yet been reached, that Captain Foley of the Malden police, the instigator of the crusade, with the aid of Miss Catherine O'Rourke of the Massachusetts society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, detailed a squad of officers to clear away the crowd.

The investigation is still in its infancy and the police have arrested for 50 more of Malden's young people who will be haled to court within a few weeks. It is the most wide-reaching in its scope of anything ever attempted by the Malden police, and many of the arrests are of sons and daughters of wealthy Malden residents.

The citizens are up in arms over the severe crusade which threatens to bare many scandals and condemn the police.

**THEATRE VOYONS**

All the ladies and gentlemen who like Mary Fuller and who have seen the series, "Who Will Marry Mary," should go to the Voyons and see her in the last picture of the series entitled "A Proposal from Mary." This picture shows Mary lost in the woods where she is found by an aviator and taken for a ride to the station. See if you can guess who she finally marries.

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EXPLORING SHAME

Recently the pitiful tale of a wrong inflicted on a woman with a weak will at the hands of an unworthy lawyer at Monticello had the usual aftermath in offers of theatrical inducements to the wretched woman in the case. Whatever one may think of her or her strange story it is to her credit

## THE NEW SUN BUILDING

# THOMAS H. LAWLER DIES SUDDENLY

Victim of Apoplexy in Sudden Attack Last Evening



Sketch of His Career in Business—A Popular Young Man

The business community of the city was shocked to hear this morning that Mr. Thomas H. Lawler, a well known and popular business man, had passed away suddenly last evening after a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Lawler had not enjoyed perfect health for some years past, but he kept about his business in the usual manner, and his untimely death has come as a shock to his friends. He was 46 years old.

On Christmas day Mr. Lawler became ill with an attack of the grippe, but he attended to it promptly and with assistance medical attention he recovered quickly. The fatal stroke of apoplexy came last evening at 9 o'clock and he died at 11:15. The sympathy of the community goes out to his wife and family in their bereavement.

Thomas H. Lawler was born in this city Jan. 23, 1868; and was the son of William and Bridget (Egan) Lawler. He was educated in the public schools and graduated from the high school in 1884. His parents were among the oldest citizens having come here in 1849, and the late Mr. Lawler has always lived here.

After graduating from the high school he entered the employ of William J. Coughlin, a stationer and bookseller, at 3 Central street, and on Mr. Coughlin's retirement Mr. Lawler worked for the firm of Taylor Brothers from which he went to J. Merrill & Son. He started in business on his own account in May, 1891.

Although for the past few months Mr. Lawler was engaged in the real estate business, having purchased the business of W. E. Potter & Son. It was at a stationer and bookseller at 73 Merrimack street and 15 John street that he became best known. This store has been a book store for about 50 years, but when Mr. Lawler took possession he made many improvements and conducted the place in the most modern and scientific manner. In connection with his stationery business, he conducted a printing establishment known as the Lawler Printing Co. and a few years ago he decided to give all of his time and attention to his printing and so sold out his book store to R. E. Judd.

Mr. Lawler was unusually popular and will leave a wide circle of friends. He was a member of many social and fraternal organizations, including the Knights of Columbus of which he was past grand knight, a fourth degree member of the Elks, the Foresters of America and Lowell Elks. He was also a member of the Lowell board of trade and an ex-member of the Highland Club and Vesper-Country Club.

Mr. Lawler was married twice, his first wife being Miss Katherine Donavan, daughter of ex-Mayor Benovan, and his second, who survives him, Miss O'Connor of Lawrence, a most devoted wife and mother.

THE LATE THOMAS H. LAWLER.

Besides his second wife he leaves a son and daughter named respectively Maurice and Mary; one brother, Dr. William P. Lawler of this city and four sisters, the Misses Annie M. and Elizabeth G. Lawler of Lowell, Mrs. Anna Ford of Newton and Mrs. John Ford of Westboro, Mass.

Begin the New Year by opening an account in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank, Saturday, January 3rd.

## COTTON WARNING

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Warning that American supremacy in cotton commerce may be wrested by foreign countries unless this government avails itself of the full measure of its resources has been submitted to the house committee on rivers and harbors in advocacy of the pending bill for an immediate appropriation of \$12,000,000 as the first installment of the \$15,000,000 proposed by the Mississippi river commission for preventing floods on the Mississippi. The warning voiced by B. F. Busch, president of the Missouri Pacific railroad, sets forth that the principal European "countries are spending millions of dollars in fostering the cotton industry. Lever protection, it is said, for the alluvial lands in the Mississippi delta would add 15,000,000 acres of fertile area adapted particularly to the cultivation of cotton and sugar cane.

## PUBLIC UTILITIES LAW

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 1.—The public utilities act, legally known as the public service company law, passed by the last Pennsylvania legislature came into operation with the beginning of the new year. It is administered by a commission of seven appointed by the governor. The new act affects every public service corporation in the state. The commission has authority in the matter of the issuance of stocks and bonds.

Accepting the interpretation of counsel that the new law prohibits the issuance of free transportation within the state to all except employees, the railroads today discontinued the pass provided to members or families of their employees. Half rate tickets, formerly issued to clergymen, also were discontinued.

## THREE CUSHION CHAMPION, WHO RISKS TITLE IN CHICAGO JAN. 5, 6, 7



ALFRED DE ORO

Alfred De Oro, champion, and Charles Morin, challenger, will play their match for the Jordan Lambert trophy, emblematic of the three cushion carom championship, in Chicago. De Oro had named New York, Jan. 5, 6 and 7, as places and dates for the contest, but was influenced by a substantial guarantee, win or lose, to con-

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## WEST CENTRALVILLE LAND PURCHASED FOR PARK PURPOSES BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL FOR \$33,000



THE WEST CENTRALVILLE PARK LAND.

The park and playground long prayed for by the people of West Centralville are on the stocks, so to speak, for the municipal council at a meeting held last night voted and adopted the order to borrow \$33,000 for the purchase of land for that purpose. The vote of the council to purchase the land from the Locks and Canals was unanimous.

The land is assessed for \$31,930 and the price to be paid is about \$100 more than the assessed valuation.

Mr. Brown said he thought it would be a good idea to refer the matter to the courts. He moved as an amendment to the original order that the matter be carried forward to the government of 1914. His motion was not seconded. Mr. Brown wanted it thoroughly understood, however, that he was sincerely in favor of a park and playground in the West Centralville

section. He spoke of criticism already uttered at the municipal council for entertaining the idea of buying a "duan" and he expected there would be more criticism but he believed the people of West Centralville were just as much entitled to a playground as were the people of any other section of the city.

Mr. Brown's reference to criticism from certain quarters relative to the purchase of the land in question, moved Mayor O'Donnell to say a word, and this is what he said:

"Men holding public office must expect to be criticized and maligned, when much criticism is wholly unjust and comes from those who have not looked into matters. Therefore I am going to vote for this order, regardless of what criticism of my action may come from it. I have had so much criticism offered that I

am now quite impervious to it. I feel that a park and a playground are badly needed in that part of the city."

"So much criticism has been offered by those who have never investigated or who have had other purposes for making criticism that I do not care what may be said about my action in voting to borrow this money. I believe I am right and have no apologies to offer for this or any other act of mine during my administration."

The clerk then called the roll and the ordinance adopted unanimously.

An order transferring \$1700 from the balance left by various departments to the street department was passed.

The balances transferred were as follows: Messenger's department, \$50;

buildings department, \$25; health department, \$25; law department, \$50;

charity hospital, \$75; charity out-door relief, \$250; and state aid, \$1000.

At Page's Dining Rooms

Several banquets and dances held in different parts of the city marked the inauguration of the new year, and a great number of happy men and women sat around tables beautifully spread for the occasion.

The committee in charge consisted of Edward L. McMahon, chairman; Charles A. Donahue, James H. Gilbride and James L. O'Dea.

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## NEW YEAR WELCOMED BY BOYS AT THE WAVERLY HOTEL

Welcome by the murmuring strains of sweet music, New Year's day crossed the threshold of the Waverly hotel dining room last midnight and was saluted with cheers and songs by the merrymakers who filled every table. A few hours before Father Time was scheduled to start on another of his

for an action of contract.

## BOY BURGLAR IN COURT

Armand Guenard Arrested for Entering Store on Aiken Street Christmas Morning

With the capture of Armand Guenard, 16 years old, of Lakeview avenue, who was arrested last night in Dracut by Capt. Atkinson and Sergt. Groulx, the police think they have the one who broke into the store of George Boucher on Alken street early Christ-

mas morning.

A large number of expensive shirts, several of which were silk, a half dozen caps, cuff and collar buttons, and a large quantity of neckties were missing when Mr. Boucher opened up his store on Friday morning following the break.

A cap, two shirts, three neckties and a set of sleeve buttons were found in Guenard's possession when he was taken into custody.

The prisoner confessed to also taking \$12 in cash from the register but said that he had spent it and also pawned the remainder of the stolen merchandise and spent the money received.

The boy made no defense whatever as indeed he could scarcely do as

he was captured in the act.

trips around the circle, the guests in convivial groups had seated themselves about the crimson-lighted dining room and with incense offered to Lady Nicotine with music and with "flashes of merriment which set the tables at a roar" awaited the coming of the new year.

In unison, they sang all those dear remembered songs of other years and some of those of the hour, whose melody will perhaps be reechoed at the festival of coming years.

Of course no festivity would be complete without a "bit and sup" to enliven the mind and warm the heart of man. It was there in plenty, as may be seen by the following menu:

Martini cocktails, soup, dressed celery, Spanish olives, lobster bisque, crab meat salad, roast spring chicken stuffed, currant jelly, roast game venison, aux champignons, Hollandaise potatoes, beurre poire, spaghetti Italiane, harlequin ice cream, assorted cake, fruit, and nuts, toasted crackers, Swiss cheese and demitasse.

It was an early hour indeed when the boys, old and young, gazed up at the pale sickle which looked down upon a new year on our old world and though the streets were silent and deserted they were cheered by the thought that they had partied on the friendliest terms with the year which has left them and with the hope that even friendlier would be their relations with the one which they had greeted.

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At St. Michael's

At St. Michael's, the masses this morning were at 6, 7 and 9 o'clock, when high mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Shaw. The official celebration of New Year's day in this church ended with the high mass this morning.

Immaculate Conception

At the Immaculate Conception mass was celebrated at 6, 6, 7 and 8, the latter being a high mass celebrated by the Rev. Franklin Wood, O. M. I. The pastor, Very Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., extended to the people his best wishes for a happy New Year at all the masses. This evening at 7:30 special services will be held.

Sacred Heart

At the Church of the Sacred Heart on Moore street, mass was celebrated at 5:45, 6:30, and a high mass was sung at 8 o'clock by the Rev. P. J. J. Harrington of Ottawa. This evening at 7:30 o'clock services will be held consisting of vespers followed by the benediction of the blessed sacra-

m. At midnight red fire was burned and fire crackers exploded in front of the Page building, as welcome to 1914.

Manager Harry A. Cole was highly congratulated for the success of the

attachment filed.

An attachment for \$1000 was filed yesterday at the registry of deeds against Edwin A. Lynde of this city by Charles E. Johnson, also of this city, for an action of contract.

Arrangements are now practically completed for the second dancing party of the "Old Timers" to be held in Thomas Tabot hall, North Billerica, tomorrow evening. The committees have been working diligently for the past few weeks and it is believed that it will be even more enjoyable than the party held last year. Music will be furnished by Hibbard's orchestra and arrangements have been made to have cars for Lowell after the dance.

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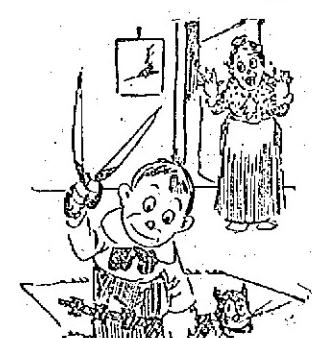
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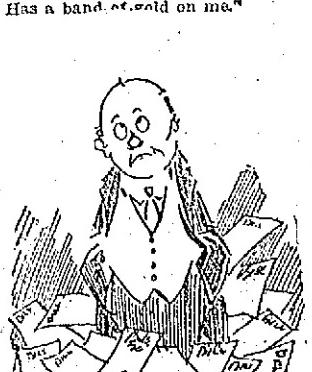
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The young man eung. Said st

"You are very slow,  
For my other beau  
Has a band et sold on me."



SILLY WILLIE.

Silly Willie trimmed the cat  
To a shape quite geometric.  
Said, when mamma scolded him,  
"I have made the cat elliptic."



ARTERIAH.

Christmas comes but once a year  
If it came twice or more,  
Most everyone, we sadly fear,  
Would turn to keeping store.



THE SWINDLER.

The swindler ingratiated I am no  
Philanthropist, ABC true;  
And yet the air I'm looking for  
The good things I can do!



THE STOCK BROKER.

The broker is a joyful jay,  
The go-between in speculations  
He gets his payment either way,  
Nor frets about the indications.



# SANGUINARY BATTLE IN MEXICO

Soldiers With Shattered Arms and Legs Shot Off, Struggled Through River and Pleaded to Americans for Help — Fighting Continues at Ojinaga — Many Killed

PRESIDIO, Texas, Jan. 1.—The battle at Ojinaga, Mexico, between the northern division of the federal army and rebels continued this morning after having been in progress all night. Five or six hundred federales had already been killed and the wounded will be in excess of that number.

Horrifying sights were witnessed on the American side before daylight. The wounded soldiers with shattered arms, legs shot off and injuries that later proved fatal, struggled through the river and pleaded to the American soldiers for help.

All the physicians and medical supplies available here were placed at the

service of the disabled federales. Before daylight more than 200 wounded had sought relief on this side. Some of these were so badly injured that they begged the American soldiers to kill them.

From the war scarred little village of Ojinaga back a mile from the river came what appeared to be an endless tide of wounded. The fight on the border here had the appearance of being the most sanguinary conflict of the present revolution.

Federal deserters also came to the river in numbers indicating that the bulk of Huerta's army was disposed to give up. All the deserters who were not wounded, however, were disarmed

## STRIKE IMMINENT

### Lynn Lasters Refuse Offer Made by the Manufacturers

LYNN, Jan. 1.—There is a strong probability of a strike of about 200 lasters, affecting 18 principal shoe manufacturers and involving at least 4000 employees, according to labor union leaders.

Unless an understanding is reached between manufacturers and lasters before Friday night, it is said, the strike will go into effect next Monday morning.

For several days the manufacturers have been considering an increase in pay for lasting odd lots and also for lasting shoes, and the manufacturers proposed an increase in the pay for reclining and suggested further conferences.

The lasters last night refused to accept the offer and put the entire master in the hands of the Joint council of the union, representing all unions in the shoe business. That body will meet Friday, and it is said a strike will be sanctioned. Without such a move a strike cannot take place under the regulations of the union.

Should the strike take place it would, in a few days, affect several thousand other employees.

The factories involved are C. H. Aborn & Co., P. J. Farney Shoe company, Bartlett-Howland company, Gathill Shoe company, Levis & Sargent, Cotton Shoe company, Williams & Clark, Stoughton & Tenney, A. M. Creighton, Rieckard Shoe company, Brophy Brothers' Shoe company, James Phelan & Sons, Hoag & Walden and Faunce & Spinney.

### RECORD SHOE OUTPUT

HAVERHILL Shipped Nearly 600,000 Cases in 1913—First Week of Year Was Best

HAVERHILL, Jan. 1.—The final shipment of shoes from Haverhill last night brought the total up to 565,493 cases, the largest in the history of the city and 21,504 cases more than in 1912. The average weekly shipment was 11,471 cases, with the week of Jan. 3 the largest of the year with 15,531 cases.

The 1913 increase over 1912 is not so great as that of 1912 over 1911 by more than 16,000 cases, but it gave Haverhill a new mark and is the greatest year in the history of Haverhill as a shoe manufacturing city.

Miss Anna Wheeler, Victim of Worcester Accident, Apparently No Weaker, It Is Said

WORCESTER, Jan. 1.—With her condition unchanged from what it was at midnight Tuesday, Miss Anna Wheeler at 12 Wednesday night had completed 160 hours of unconsciousness at city hospital. The girl, who is the 15-year-old daughter of Dr. Charles D. Wheeler, has not regained consciousness since she was injured on Christmas morning by a collision between the automobile driven by her sister, in which she was a passenger, and an electric car.

Apparently, so it is stated at the hospital, the injured girl has not grown weaker during the last 24 hours.

### DOLLAR FOR FALSE ARREST

John Johnson of Lynn Wins Nominal Damages at Salem From Maurice Browne of Dedham

SALEM, Jan. 1.—In the superior civil court yesterday afternoon the jury awarded John Johnson of Lynn \$1 in a case against Maurice Browne of Dedham for alleged false arrest.

In 1909, Johnson visited Dedham to give evidence in a liquor case and was arrested by Browne as he stepped from a train. He was kept at the police station until the arrival of a policeman from Worcester with a warrant for nonsupport.

### MAYOR APPROVES SITE

Hoselton's New Municipal Building Will Be Erected at Corner of Ashland and Washington Streets

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—Mayor Fitzgerald yesterday gave a hearing to Roslindale citizens on the site of the new municipal building in that section. Only two appeared in opposition to the site at the corner of Ashland and Washington streets and the mayor decided in favor of this site. He instructed the street commissioners to take the necessary steps to obtain the land. The site contains 15,000 square feet and the new building will cost \$136,000.

### SEVEN NEW CONTRACTS

New York Public Service Commission Provides for Subway Work Which Will Cost \$1,000,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Seven additional contracts for sections of the new subway system were executed yesterday by the public service commission. These contracts call for an expenditure of more than \$11,000,000, bringing the total appropriation for new subways up to \$31,000,000.

Most of the new work will be in Brooklyn and the Bronx. Thirty-nine contracts covering other extensions are still to be awarded.

### EPOCH IN NAVIGATION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—What is declared by navy yard officials to have marked an epoch in the navigation of submarines was the completion recently of the several hundred miles trip of four little submarines from Guantnamo, Cuba, to Cristobal, at the Atlantic end of Panama. With a rough sea and under the influence of strong trade winds the little boats found no difficulty in maintaining their speed and position for the five days it took to make the trip, the longest on record for any submarine under their own power.

The officials and crew were in as good if not better condition at the conclusion of the voyage as at the outset. The vessels arrived with their fuel tanks over half full and in condition for any service they might be called upon to perform. It is expected that they will remain in tropical waters for some time.

### GUILITY OF MISUSING MAIIS

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—The jury in the trial of officers of the Radio Wireless Telephone company, accused of misusing the mails in promoting the sale of stock, returned a verdict of guilty on two counts of the indictment against James Dunlop Smith, president, and Elmer E. Burlingame, agent of a subsidiary, at 1 o'clock this morning, after 11 hours of deliberation.

Lee DeForest, an inventor, and Samuel Darby, were acquitted on three counts the jury disagreeing on the fourth.

### RAMPOLLA'S WILL SUPPRESSED

ROME, Jan. 1.—The arrest of those suspected of having suppressed the last will of Cardinal Rampolla is expected shortly. The police official in charge of the Vatican district made a report to the district attorney yesterday giving the details of his investigation into the mystery of the missing will.

As a result of this investigation it appears there really was a second will in existence and a court investigation will now be made.

## GREETINGS

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Pass into commercial history  
And King's Clothing Company  
Becomes but a memory.  
Two days left to purchase  
Men's, boys' and children's clothing  
And furnishings at actual cost  
And below.  
Just two days.  
Be among the many to partake  
Of what we offer—never mind  
Reading about prices.  
Come make your own prices.



21-25 MERRIMACK ST.

## NATURALIZATION COURT FIREMEN HURT

In Runaway Accident  
—Fire Engine Was Wrecked

NEWBURY, Jan. 1.—A steam fire engine of the Newburyport department was wrecked in a marsh last night. Three firemen were injured when thrown to the ground, and two of the four horses drawing the apparatus were inexplicably mired, following a runaway.

The engine had been sent to the assistance of the town of Field in fighting flames in a dormitory building there. On the return, when the engine was approaching a bridge over the Parker river, the four horse hitch shied at the lights of an approaching automobile. The horses bolted. The lead animals broke away from their traces and plunged into the marsh land, where they lodged so deeply that efforts to rescue them were unsuccessful up to a late hour.

The other pair of horses dashed over a bank on the opposite side of the road, the front overturning as it struck the soft land below the bank.

All three firemen were thrown from their places, but the injuries of none were serious. The engine was wrecked.

### WIRELESS SIGNALS NEW YEAR

Arlington Station Sends Flashes Thousands of Miles, Possibly to Paris

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—From a wireless radio station at Arlington, Va., a wireless time signal was sent out last night notifying all shore and marine radio stations of the exact moment when the old year ended and the new began.

Beats of the standard clock at the observatory were sent out from the moment of 11:55 o'clock with denoted omission of beats to mark the minutes and a final beat at the sixtieth second of the last minute of the year 1913.

It is expected that the time signal will be found to have been heard at Panama, San Francisco and probably the Eiffel Tower in Paris, besides intermediate stations.

### LID ON IN TWO STATES

Celebration Closets Saloons in the States of Ohio and Arkansas at Midnight

CINCINNATI, Jan. 1.—Ohio's New Year's celebration ended at midnight so far as liquor saloons was concerned. The lid was on tight in every place where intoxicants are sold at 12 o'clock under the new law.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 1.—All saloons in Arkansas were closed at midnight last night, when the prohibition law went into effect. United States soldiers, who had just been paid off, joined in a mourners' parade, while the liquor dealers held bargain sales.

### SMITH ARRESTED AGAIN

Wakefield Man Who Was Fined \$100 in Malden Taken at Lawrence for Arlington Police

LAWRENCE, Jan. 1.—Edwin H. Smith, 27, of Wakefield, who was fined \$100 in the Malden district court on charges of assault on one Malden and two Wakefield women, was arrested here this afternoon for the Arlington police. A woman is the complainant in this case. He was released on bail.

### FRANK B. EDGELL RESIGNS

Gardner Man, Elected to the House, Cannot Remain on Board of Registrars Under the Law

GARDNER, Jan. 1.—The resignation of Frank B. Edgell as a member of the board of registrars was received and accepted by the selection at their meeting yesterday. Mr. Edgell's action was compulsory, as the law states that a man may not hold both an elective and an appointive office at the same time. At the fall election Mr. Edgell was elected a member of the legislature. He has been a member of the board for the past 11 years. His successor will be chosen at a meeting of the selection next month.

BLACK AND WHITE RABBIT  
having lost, \$100; tail; mane and  
mane number 100 collar. Reward  
returned to 732 Lawrence st.

WE GIVE S. & H. GREEN TRADING STAMPS

## NELSON'S DEPT. STORE

THE MECCA OF LOW PRICES

## JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

\$10,000 Worth of Coats, Suits and Millinery to be Closed Out This Month

The mild weather of the Fall season leaves us with a heavy stock, which we must mark away below cost. Our loss is your gain, which means you can buy a coat, suit or hat at your own price. We insist that every sale must be a satisfactory one, and if your purchases are not to your liking we will do our best to make them so. Come early and you will find real bargains.

### COATS and SUITS

LOT 1—COATS	LOT 2—COATS	LOT 3—COATS
<b>\$6.95</b> \$10.00 to \$12.00 Values	<b>\$7.95</b> \$12.95 to \$16.00 Values	<b>\$8.95</b> \$16.50 to \$19.50 Values
<b>LOT 1—SUITS</b> <b>\$5.95</b> \$10.00 to \$12.00 Values	<b>LOT 2—SUITS</b> <b>\$7.95</b> \$15.00 to \$18.00 Values	<b>LOT 3—SUITS</b> <b>\$8.95</b> \$19.50 to \$22.50 Suits

SPORT COATS	CHILDREN'S COATS	PRETTY PARTY DRESSES
<b>3.95 to 9.95</b> \$7.50 to \$15.00 Values	<b>1.95 to 3.50</b> \$3.95 to \$4.95 Values	<b>\$10</b> \$12.95 to \$18.00 Values

### MILLINERY

LOT 1—TRIMMED HATS	LOT 2—TRIMMED HATS	LOT 3—TRIMMED HATS
<b>95c</b> Value to \$2.95	<b>\$1.95</b> Value \$3.95	<b>\$2.95</b> Value \$4.95

LOT 1—TAILORED HATS	LOT 2—UNTRIMMED HATS	LOT 3—CHILDREN'S HATS
<b>95c</b> Value to \$5.00	Velvet, Velours, Plushes and Mannish Hats. Val. to \$3.00.	<b>69c</b> Many Pretty Styles. Values to \$1.95

READY-TO-WEAR ACCESSORIES
Muslin Gowns and Combinations, slightly soiled. Value to \$1.05 ..... 69c

READY-TO-WEAR ACCESSORIES
Muslin Petticoats. Value \$1.25 ..... 69c

READY-TO-WEAR ACCESSORIES
Children's Gingham Dresses, odd sizes and colors. Value \$1.00 ..... 69c

READY-TO-WEAR ACCESSORIES
Children's White Dresses, odd styles and sizes. Value to \$1.05 ..... 69c

READY-TO-WEAR ACCESSORIES
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FOR LATE LOCAL AND TELEGRAPH  
NEWS SEE LATER EDITIONS

# NEW INDUSTRIES NEW BUILDINGS

Added to Lowell's Growth in 1913  
—Several Thriving Industries—  
Many Buildings

With the close of the year it may be well to review conditions in this city as well as what was done during the past 12 months in the line of attracting new industries to Lowell.

The Lowell board of trade, which is noted for the valuable services rendered the city, was again active and through the untiring efforts of its members, new concerns were induced to locate in Lowell and it may be said that all are fully satisfied with their new place of operations, for the Spindle City is noted for the efficiency of its help.

One of the most important industries to locate in Lowell during the past year was the Patterson Rubber Co., which erected a large plant in Mid-dles street near the city line, and while automobile tires are manufactured, this company started in Lowell with a small force and now several hundred men earn their daily bread there. The company is doing a prosperous business and it is now planning an addition as large as the main building.

Although much has been said about the car shops of the Boston & Maine railroad, it may be well to mention a few words about the plant, where 15 buildings for the manufacture of cars and the repairing of locomotives were constructed. This tremendous industry is located in Belcher, but Lowell will benefit by it, as Lowell was instrumental in having it located there. The machines are all installed and operations will soon be started.

Messrs. Charles S. Dodge and Bartholomew Scannell started a company known as the Air-o-Vac Mfg. Co. and they located in Lowell. These people occupy a large building at 41 Payne street and the production of the company is vacuum cleaners.

The New England Cable Co., manufacturers of insulated wire, is another company that started operations in this city during the past year. The company occupies the old Stott mill in Howe street and they report excellent business.

Several other small industries found Lowell good enough for them and have opened plants within its limits. Business has been prosperous in all the cotton mills and shoe shops, while the merchants also report good business during the past 12 months.

# FIRE INSURANCE

Change Relative to Cancellation of Policies in Effect Tomorrow

## SEC. LANE ACTS

He Wants Congress to Protect Radium as Cancer Cure

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The medical discovery that radium may prove efficient as a remedy for cancer has prompted Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, to ask congress to pass



a law empowering the president to reserve to the United States all rights and ownership in radium bearing ores found in public lands. Experts of the federal bureau of mines have been conducting searches for radium bearing lands and have located tracts in various sections of the country. The secretary of the interior would have congress authorize the president to withdraw such lands in order that the government may retain control of the ores which contain the powerful mineral known as radium.

### TO REPORT TOMORROW

BOSTON, Dec. 31.—A special committee of the Boston chamber of commerce, appointed to consider the question of making New England a federal reserve district under the new currency law and the establishment of a regional reserve bank in Boston, will make its report to the directors at their meeting tomorrow afternoon. The committee, composed of bankers and business men, has conferred with other men of affairs and held a meeting yesterday afternoon. Its mem-

# From Yesterday's Late Editions

## Stock Market Closing Prices, Dec. 31st

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

### NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	73 1/2	72 3/4	73 1/4
Am Can	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Am Can pf	55 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2
Am Can & F'n	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Am Louis	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Am Smelt & R.	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Am Smelt & R. pf	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Am Sugar Refn	110 1/2	109 1/2	110 1/2
Anaconda	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Atchison	93 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2
Balt & Ohio	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Br Rap Tran	88	87 1/2	88
Canada Pac	206 1/2	205 1/2	206 1/2
Cana Pipe	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Cent Leather	27	26 1/2	27
Cent Leather pf	95	95	95
Ches & Ohio	60 1/2	60	60
Col Fuel	25	27 1/2	25
Del & Hud	153	151	153
Dim Secur Co	18 1/2	18	18 1/2
Dixie	28	26 1/2	28
Eric 1st pf	4	4	4
Gen Elec	139 1/2	138 1/2	139 1/2
Gt N Orth	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Int Met Com	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Int Met pf	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Int Paper	8 1/2	8	8
Kan City So	25	24 1/2	25
Kt City So pf	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Leland & Tex	19 1/2	19	19 1/2
Louisiana	150 1/2	149 1/2	149 1/2
Mass & Wash	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Met Govt	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Missouri	10	10	10
Missouri Pa	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Nor & West	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
North Pacific	109	109	109
Oil & West	27	27	27
Pennsylvania	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
People's Gas	121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2
Pressed Steel	27	27	27
Reading	160	165	165
Rep I & S pf	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Rock Is pf	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
St Paul	100	99 1/2	100
So Pac	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Southern Ry	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Southern Ry pf	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Textron Copper	33 1/2	32	33 1/2
Third Ave	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Union Pac	158 1/2	158 1/2	158 1/2
U.S. Pac pf	188	188	188
U.S. Rob	58	56 1/2	58
U.S. Steel	50	58 1/2	58 1/2
U.S. Steel pf	106 1/2	106	106
Utah Copper	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Wab R R pf	8	8	8
Westinghouse	64 1/2	64	64 1/2
Western Union	55 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2

### COTTON SPOT

Cotton spot closed steady. Middle uplands, 12 50. Middle uplands, 12 55. Sates, 11,500 bales.

### BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Dec. 31.—Trading early today was along narrow lines and in small lots. Values were steady and noon prices were fractionally higher.

A number of buildings were started last year and were completed this year, among which are the K. of C. club house in Anne street, Patterson Rubber Co. in Middlesex street, St. Peter's school in Gorham street, St. Peter's orangery in Stevens street, French-American orphanage in Pawtucket street, the Page building and several others. Despite all this work, however, there was a decrease of about \$30,000 in buildings, comparing with the year 1912.

MASTERSPIECE STOLEN OVER TWO YEARS AGO, RETURNED TO PARIS TODAY

PARIS, Dec. 31.—The return today of Du Vinal's "Mona Lisa" to Paris after an absence of two years and four months was made into a ceremonial occasion by the French government. The picture, after traveling from Florence to Rome and thence to Milan under careful Italian guardianship, was committed to the care of the representative of the French government, M. Marcel, conservator of the French which had been hung with priceless

### CHANGES WERE SLIGHT

—NEW STRONG SPOTS IN EAST MARKET—QUIET IN AFTERNOON

—CLOSED FIRM

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Although there were a few strong spots in the early market today changes in most cases were slight. The uncertain trend to prices yesterday left speculators in doubt as to which way to turn, but the undertone was appreciably firmer.

American Ice rose 2 1/4 in response to the strong showing made in its annual report. Reading, Norfolk & Western, and Texas Co. gained one

and New Haven %. The Harriman stocks were slightly lower, but most speculative shares made small gains.

Bidding up of special stocks gave to the whole list today and although progress upwards was slow, the market was firm. Trading on the long side was encouraged by the absence of bear attacks, such as have been made recently and the cessation of varied selling of scattered investment holdings. Business was limited.

Holders of long stock took the small profits that were in sight toward the close of the forenoon and prices sagged slightly to about yesterday's close.

The market lay quiet in the afternoon and except in a few cases prices were not changed appreciably. American Telephone was exceptionally heavy and yielded two points. Buying of

Texas Co. continued and it climbed six points. This placed it up 12 points on the week, the highest figure for two years. Relative ease for the year end obtained in the money market.

Call loans were renewed at six per cent. and the rate then shaded off to four.

The market closed firm. Weakness persisted in American Telephone, the price falling to 118% ex-div. Elsewhere there was a decided undercutting of firmness. Net changes were inconsequential.

—COTTON FUTURES

December ..... 12 10

January ..... 11 97

March ..... 12 31

May ..... 12 27

July ..... 12 30

October ..... 11 70

Open ..... 11 64

Close ..... 11 64

—COTTON SPOT

Cotton spot closed steady. Middle uplands, 12 50. Middle uplands, 12 55. Sates, 11,500 bales.

### BOSTON MARKET

High Low Close

RAILROADS

Boston & Albany ..... 190

Boston Elevated ..... 85

Bos & Maine ..... 43 1/2

Fitchburg pf ..... 83 1/2

N Y & N H ..... 77 1/2

N Y & N H rts ..... 1

Yankee ..... 1

MINING

Allouez ..... 35 1/2

Arizona Gem ..... 4 1/2

Cal & Arizona ..... 63 1/2

Centennial ..... 15

Chino ..... 39 1/2

Conifer Range ..... 38

Dev Butte ..... 27 1/2

Granite ..... 74 1/2

Huron-Cananda ..... 30

La Salle ..... 4 1/2

Nevada ..... 15 1/2

North Butte ..... 28 1/2

Old Dominion ..... 51

Quincy ..... 61

Quincy Co. ..... 18 1/2

Red Mountain ..... 15 1/2

Superior & Boston ..... 23 1/2

Tamarack ..... 30

Winona ..... 3

WINONA ..... 3

TELEPHONE

Am Tel & Tel ..... 121 1/2

New Eng Tel ..... 133



**SUGAR****4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>C Lb.**

100 lb. Bag Sugar \$4.40  
Loaf Sugar..... 6c  
Powdered Sugar... 6c  
Brown Sugar..... 4c

**FRUIT**

ORANGES..... 12 1-2c Doz.  
Large and Juicy  
GRAPEFRUIT 2 1-2c, 4c Each  
Malaga Grapes..... 12c Lb.  
Tekay Grapes..... 12c Lb.  
Nice Juicy Lemons, /  
12c and 25c Dozen  
Bananas..... 10c Dozen  
No. 1 English Walnuts; 16c Lb.  
Mixed Nuts..... 14c

# SAUNDERS MARKET

59 CORNHAM ST. COR. SUMMER ST.

TELEPHONES, 3890—3891—3892—3893

**SOAP**

Soapine, pkg..... 1.4c  
Three 5c Packages of Pearline 10c  
Ivory Soap..... 6 for 25c  
Peerless White Floating.. 10 for 25c  
White Rose Soap..... 10 for 25c  
Swift's Pride Soap..... 9 for 25c  
Lenox Soap..... 9 for 25c  
Welcome Soap..... 7 for 25c  
Every Woman's Soap..... 7 for 25c  
Swift's Naphtha Soap..... 7 for 25c  
Swift's Borax Soap..... 7 for 25c  
P. & G. Naphtha Soap..... 7 for 25c  
Muleteam Borax Soap..... 7 for 25c  
Pure White Castile Soap..... 7 for 25c  
Snap Soap..... 14 for 25c  
Pearl Soap..... 7 for 25c  
Bee Soap..... 6 for 25c  
Swift's Wool Soap..... 7 for 25c  
Grandma's Washing Powder, 4c, 12c  
Jumbo Washing Powder..... 4c  
Swift's Washing Powder..... 4c  
Big 10 Washing Powder..... 4c  
Star Naphtha Wash Powder 4c, 16c  
Gold Dust..... 4c, 18c pkg.  
Sal Soda, pkg..... 5c  
Lighthouse Cleanser..... 4c

**FRESH CANDIES**

Fancy Ribbon Candy..... 2 lb. boxes 23c  
Fancy Assorted Christmas Candy..... 18c lb.  
Old Fashioned Vanilla Chocolates, lb..... 17c  
Cream Puffies, lb..... 18c  
Assorted Jelly Drops, lb..... 12 1-2c  
Extra Turkey Figs, lb..... 11c, 17c  
Calabash Candied Figs, in pound boxes..... 21c  
Special Old Fashioned Chocolates, in lb. boxes, 20c  
Quimby's Special Assorted Chocolates, in pound  
boxes..... 25c  
Special Peppermints, lb..... 17c  
Cream Caramels..... 25c lb.  
Assorted Chocolates..... 12 1-2c lb.

**PURE LARD**

50 Lb. Tub Silver Leaf, lb..... 12c  
20 Lb. Tub Silver Leaf, lb..... 12 1-2c  
10, 5, 3 Lb. Silver Leaf, lb..... 13 1-2c

**COMPOUND LARD**

50 Lb. Tub Compound Lard, lb..... 9c  
20 Lb. Tub Compound Lard, lb..... 9 1-2c  
10, 5, 3 Lb. Tub Compound Lard, lb..... 11c

**SPECIALS**

Old Dutch Cleanser..... 7c  
Seeded Raisins, pkg..... 7c  
Not-a-Seed Raisins, pkg..... 9c  
Canned Strawberries..... 6c  
D'Zerta Pudding, pkg..... 6c  
Maine Stringless Cranberry Beans 8c  
Fancy Peas, can..... 7c, 11c, 13c, 14c  
Red Letter Soups (Tomato, Vegetable and Oxtail), can..... 6c  
Boiled Cider, bottle..... 20c  
Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel, 15c Lb.  
Fruitena Pudding, all flavors, 4c  
Corn Flake..... 4c Pkg.  
Chiver's Pure Orange Marmalade 16c  
Robertson's Orange Marmalade 15c  
Tam-o-Shanter Marmalade..... 5c  
Postum Cereal..... 21c

**MACARONI**  
5c Pkg.  
**LOBSTER** (Osprey Brand)  
Can 25c

Shredded Wheat, 11c  
Cream of Wheat, 12c  
Grape Nuts..... 11c

**TOILET PAPER**  
Regular 10c size.  
3c, 9 for 25c

**BUTTER**

We also carry Meadow Gold and  
Clover Hill Brands of Butter.  
Best Creamery Butter..... 3c  
Yorkshire Creamery in 1 lb. sanitary  
cartons, lb..... 33c  
Best Grade Vermont Creamery  
Butter in 5 lb. boxes, lb..... 36c

**CHEESE**

Very Good Cheese, lb..... 10c  
Full Cream Cheese, lb..... 22c  
Sage Cheese, lb..... 20c  
Swiss Cheese, lb..... 30c  
Roquefort Cheese, lb..... 30c to 40c  
Limburger Cheese, lb..... 25c  
Young American Cheese, lb..... 20c to 22c  
Full Cream Edam Cheese..... 85c  
Holland Cheese..... 85c  
Munster Cheese, lb..... 30c  
Camembert Cheese..... 28c lb.

**Violet Talcum Powder**9c box, 3 for 25c  
(Regular 25c size)

Magic Perfumed Starch..... 8c Pkg  
Electric Lustre Starch.....  
Diamond Gloss Starch

**EGGS**

Fresh Eggs, dozen..... 29c  
Armour's Helmet Brand Eggs, fresh,  
in cartons, dozen..... 30c  
Brookfield Eggs, strictly fresh,  
dozen..... 35c

Economy Cocoa, absolutely pure,  
17c lb.  
Wall-Eta Cocoa, absolutely pure, in  
1 lb. Mason Jars..... 23c lb.  
Quality Cocoa, warranted pure,  
lb. 23c, 1/2 lb. 13c, 1/4 lb. 7c

**Snider's Ketchup**

Full Pints..... 15c

Pure wholesome—No artificial preservative or coloring.

Snider's Pork and Beans with Tomato

Sauce..... 11c

Yours Truly Soups,

all flavors..... 6c

COOKED MEATS—NEW DEPT.

Roast Chicken..... 35c lb.  
Baked Ham..... 40c lb.

Roast Beef..... 40c

Roast Pork..... 40c

Boiled Tongue..... 32c

Boiled Cured Beef..... 20c

Beef Liver..... 20c

Hams Cheese..... 14c

Minced Ham..... 14c

Pressed Ham..... 15c

Diced Bacon..... 12c

Frankfurts (West German)..... 15c

Fresh Pork Sausages..... 15c

Lard, 1 lb. Triple..... 12c

Pork, 1 lb. Triple..... 12c

English Side Bacon..... 20c

English Sugar Cured Ham..... 30c

English Blood Pudding..... 12c

German Liverwurst..... 15c

German Tonwurst..... 15c

German Tete Cheese..... 20c

English Hams Bacon..... 10c

Pork, 1 lb. Triple..... 10c

Hickled Pig's Feet..... 10c

German Knockwurst..... 15c

Boiled Beef Tongue..... 10c

Saunders' Tomato Sausage..... 15c

Saunders' Bacon Sausage..... 15c

(Fresh Made)..... 15c

**CAMPBELL'S SOUPS**

Tomato, Vegetable, Chicken Soups,

7 1-2c each

Yours Truly Soups,

all flavors..... 6c

**Eastern Star Brand**

Ketchup..... 10c

Best Standard Brands.

Peas..... 8c can

Ground Bone fresh

every day,

3c lb., 10 lbs. 25c

Telephone, Small and Sifted

Corn..... 6c can

Maine Style—First Class

**FRESH FISH**

Large Mackerel, 1 1-2 lbs. to 2 lbs., nice and fresh, each	10c and 15c
Shore Haddock, fresh caught, lb.	4c, 6c
Fancy Fresh Silver Salmon, lb.	10c
Sword Fish, extra fancy, sliced from best parts, lb.	12 1-2c
Fresh Herring, 1 lb. size	4c each, 3 for 10c
Oysters	35c qt.
Clams	25c qt.
Cod Fish	6c lb.
Butter Fish	7c lb.
Fresh Flounders	5c
White Fish	8c lb.
Salt Salmon	8c lb.
Kippered Herring, 4c, 3 for 10c	
Pollock	4c lb.
Finnan Haddie	8c lb.
Habitat	12 1-2c lb.
Smelts	7c lb., 4 lbs. 25c

**VEGETABLES**

New Potatoes, extra quality and all sound, 18c Pk.	18c
Celery, Boston Market	14c
Lettuce	3 for 10c
Cabbage	2 1-2c lb.
Fresh Spinach	15c pk.
Beets	3c lb.
Native Carrots	3 lbs. for 5c
Parsnips	3c lb.
New Spanish Onions	3 lbs. for 10c
Onions	30c pk.
Pickling Onions	20c pk.
Cranberries	7c qt.
Turnips	2c lb.
Apples	35c pk.

**CRACKER DEPARTMENT**

SPECIAL FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY— A 10c Jar Jelly and a 5c Pkg. Takoma Biscuits for	12c
A 10c Jar of Pure Orange Marmalade and a 10c Pkg. of Butter Thins for	17c
Saltines, Atlantic and Peanut Wafers, 13c lb, 2 for 25c	
Assorted Sunshine Crackers	7 1-2c lb, 2 for 15c
1 lb. box Assorted English Style Biscuits, 33c lb.	
Fancy Assorted Cookies	9c lb, 3 for 25c
All Sunshine, 5c pkgs.	4c, 4 for 15c
All Sunshine, 10c pkgs.	8c 2 for 15c
Hydrox, lb.	34c

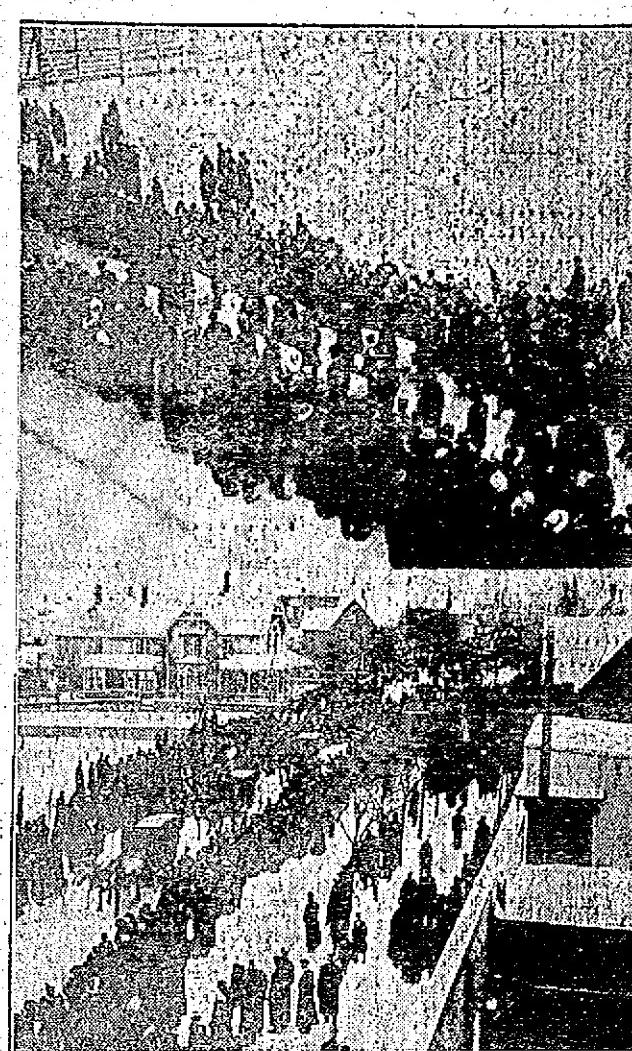
**FLOUR**

BEST BREAD FLOUR— \$5.00 Bbl., 65c Bag	65c
Ben Hur, Searchlight, Ethan, Allen and Musketier Brands.	
BEST PASTRY FLOUR— 24 1-2 lb. Bags	60c
Snow Crust Brand. A carload just in.	

BUTTERINE	Highest grade, half cream, 20c, 25c lb.
SPECIAL	With 1-2 lbs. Salada Tea 5 lbs. Sugar..... 18c
SPECIAL	A Christmas package— 3 lb. can Tetley Tea..... \$1.85
A very good Formosa Oolong Tea, guaranteed pure, 15c lb., 7 lbs. \$1	
Bidgways Tea—All blends, 25c 1/4 lb.	
Avoidale Coffee, regular 35c qual- ity, only..... 30c lb.	
Silver Coffee..... 25c lb.	
Yours Truly Coffee..... 25c lb.	
Quality and strength guaranteed With every 30c package of Tetley, Lipton, Tudor, Nonquit and Bill Grade Teas we will sell 5 lbs.	
With a 25c purchase of Crackers— 2 lbs. for 25c—we will give 1000 Votes.	
With a 25c purchase of Crackers— 3 lbs. for 25c—we will give 600 Votes.	
With a pound of Apple Blossom Tea at 25c—we will give 500 Votes.	

**EXTRA VOTES**

## SCENES AT FUNERALS OF VICTIMS OF CHRISTMAS HORROR AT CALUMET



CALUMET, Mich., Jan. 1.—The laboring settlement here is slowly recovering from the shock caused by the terrible accident on Christmas eve, when 72 men, women and children were crushed to death in a panic in the funerals of some of victims.

## TO GIVE UP B. & M. SEC. BRYAN HOST

The New Haven Road Will Surrender Holdings in Boston

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Published reports of a plan of the New Haven road's relinquishment of the Boston & Maine are not given official confirmation at the department of justice, but some other officials in touch with the negotiations express the view that the proposal as outlined is substantially correct.

The dissolution of the Boston & Maine merger with the New Haven was one of the chief points of attack in the interstate commerce commission's report of its exhaustive investigation into the financial affairs of the New England lines and it is known that the department of justice has been working generally along the lines of that report. The traffic arrangement with the Boston & Albany was another point.

Chairman Elliott of the New Haven board will confer with Attorney General McReynolds Monday to continue the effort to bring the New Haven organization into harmony with the Sherman law without a long court fight.

It is generally believed here that a plan embodying the elimination of the features which the government holds to be most objectionable and which have been under consideration by the New Haven directors for some time will be taken up for some definite action.

### CONSIDERING OTHER PLANS

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—The plan for the separation of the Boston & Maine railroad from the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad through the formation of a temporary holding company to take the stock of the former company now held by the New Haven, is only one of several plans under consideration, according to a statement issued today by the New Haven officials. They believe that there is a good chance for arriving at some solution of the difficult problem and that it will be in the interest of the whole situation.

At Breakfast to the Diplomatic Corps of Foreign Nations

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Secretary of State William Jennings Bryan was the host at breakfast this morning to the diplomatic corps of the foreign nations. The banquet is an annual New Year's day affair. Without exception, all the diplomats attended. The informality of the breakfast was a feature. None of the members of the diplomatic corps appeared in uniform.

The dining room was made to resemble an orangery and the drawing room was similarly decorated. From their winter home at Miami, the secretary and Mrs. Bryan had brought large quantities of pinsetta, silk and other semi-tropical plants which were used for decorations.

There was no formal reception as the diplomats entered. The secretary and Mrs. Bryan stood near the door and simply wished all "a happy new year." When the moment for entering the breakfast room arrived, Ambassador Jusserand, as dean of the corps, gave Mrs. Bryan his arm and Secretary Bryan escorted Madame Jusserand. The breakfast was given in buffet style. Pineapple and grape juice punches were served and there were no wines.

Although the details of the affair and the breakfast list were arranged in accordance with the department of state the only change from the usual program was that it was served in the Bryan home instead of the Hall of the Americas at the Pan-American building where former Secretary Knox and Mrs. Knox inaugurated the new year's breakfast to the diplomatic corps.

In addition to the foreign attaches in Washington, the affair today was attended by officials of the Pan-American union, members of the foreign relations committee of congress and the assistant secretaries of state.

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## DOG HAD RABIES

Report on Examination of Canine Killed in Centralville

Word was received at the office of the Human Society here today that the head of the dog which was shot by an officer of the society in Centralville a short time ago showed unmistakable signs of rabies.

The head was examined in Boston and the report sent in to Dr. Sherman. Two cows which were in the field where the rabid canine was killed, were ordered quarantined today pending an examination.

### WILL SUPPORT LAKE

He Promised Fitchburg Men That City Will Have Strong Team in the New England League

FITCHBURG, Jan. 1.—Fred Lake, manager of the Fitchburg team in the New England league next season, conferred with several prominent officials yesterday in regard to plans.

Marcus A. Coolidge, R. D. Reifern, secretary of the association, and Thomas Sellers met him, and the party made a tour of the city looking for sites for a park. The grounds at the driving park, offered free to Mr. Lake, were looked over, and he was impressed with the opportunities to make the park one of the best in New England.

W. W. Sargent of the street railway company joined the party and offered the players free transportation to and from the park and to other points on the league circuit. Mr. Lake received assurances from Thomas Sellers that he would support the team. Mr. Lake was very much pleased with his reception and said that a first class team would represent Fitchburg.



1. SOLDIERS AND NURSES IN REBEL CAMP. 2. MEXICAN GIRL READY FOR BATTLE. 3. MOUNTED WOMEN SOLDIERS

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 1.—The outside world has very little idea of the extent to which women are forced into service in the rebel army. Not only as nurses and as camp attendants are they engaged, but many of them actually bear arms in truly Amazonian fashion. Various of them display considerate ability with the rifle. In the

central war zone, about Chihuahua, they engaged, but many of them actually bear arms in truly Amazonian fashion. Various of them display considerate ability with the rifle. In the

REV. LOUIS ZAHNER DEAD ADAMS, Jan. 1.—Rev. Louis Zahner, D. D., rector of St. Mark's Episcopal church for 23 years, died yesterday. At the time of the election of Rev. Thomas Davies as Bishop of the Springfield Diocese, Dr. Zahner was prominent as a candidate.

BURNED TO DEATH FALL RIVER, Jan. 1.—While her parents were at work in the mill yesterday, Armosa Berbard, 15, of 803 King Phillip street, was left to care for her infant sister. Armosa's dress caught fire from the kitchen stove and she was so horribly burned that she died early today at St. Anne's hospital.

## FIND 200 DEAD

Rebels Direct Terrific Assault Against Federals at Neuvo Laredo

STEAMER ARRIVES

THURSDAY ISLAND, Australia, Jan. 1.—The steamer Tasman arrived here today from the gulf of Papua, where she had been stranded for several days on a brambly reef. All on board were well.

LAREDO, Texas, Jan. 1.—Mexican constitutionalists directed a terrific

# THE SUN CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

## TO LET

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ROOM TENEMENT TO LET AT \$3 Middlesex st. rent \$12; 5-room tenement at 79 Chestnut st. rent \$8. Apply Flynn's Market, 137 Gorham st.

FOUR ROOM FLAT TO LET AT 108 Chapel st.; rent reasonable. Apply Mr. Kelly, 108 Chapel st.

FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS TO LET; pantry and bath, 142 Jewett st. Apply Griffiths, Florist, 31 Bridge st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET TO men at the Y. M. C. A., 272 Merrimack st., \$1.50 to \$3 week; electric lights and shower baths on each door. A home for young men away from home.

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ROOM SUITABLE FOR BARBER shop or business office, to let; on second floor of the Harrington building, 52 Central st.

MY HOUSE AND STABLE AT 230 Westworth avenue to let. Chas. A. Eveleth, Lowell jail.

## WANTED

ROOMERS AND BOARDERS WANTED; rooms \$1 upwards; steam heat. Quigley House, 52 Lee st.

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THE GOOD PEOPLE OF LOWELL wanted to buy 11th Hour Asbestos Stove Linings, 15 and 25 cent boxes, at all stove dealers.

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CASH PAID FOR SECOND HAND furniture of all kinds, large or small lots. T. F. Muldown, 306 Central st.

STOVE REPAIRS LININGS GRATES, centers and other parts for all stoves and ranges carried in stock; work done at lowest prices. Bring name and size of stove, or telephone 1120. Quinn Furniture Co., 160 Middlesex st.

PIANOS AND ORGANS TUNED AND repaired. Tuning \$1. J. Kershaw, 199 Cumberland road, Tel. 641-1.

LIMBURG CO. CHIMNEY EXPERTS—Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge st. Tel. 942-4.

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The forests are being made increasingly accessible. More than 500 miles of road, nearly 300 miles of fire lines, nearly 4000 miles of telephone lines, and 2600 miles of trails were built. The present value of all public improvements on the forests is approximately over \$3,000,000. Two-thirds of this amount having been put into lines of communication and protection.

Perfect health cannot exist where there is obstruction to the circulation or pressure on the nerves. In this case one or more refuse to work properly and must have a certain amount of exercise. If your health is not what it should be, you should turn to Mechanotherapy, which has been successful in the treatment of thousands. Free consultation Sunday, 3 to 5; Thursday, 3 to 5 and 7 to 8 p.m. F. A. Magraw, M. T. D., 97 Central street, Mansur block. Hours, 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 p.m. Consultation, Examination, Advice FREE.

acquire power permits, and prevent unjust charges being placed on the consumer.

Gam Protection

In connection with the grazing work, the forests serve to protect game, and the Wichita forest, with its buffalo herd, is one of the show places of Oklahoma. During the year the service cooperated with the biological survey in placing over two hundred elk on various national forests.

A large number of streams were stocked with trout fry.

Claims on National Forests

A large part of the report is devoted to a discussion of various kinds of claims under which title to land within the forests is sought. Nearly a thousand homesteads were taken up under a special act which provides for opening to settlement land suitable for agriculture.

The report states, however, that some old homestead claims were instituted for the purpose of securing timber, and the same is still true of some mining claims.

An attempted fraud under the mining laws was usually referred to by interests in no way associated with mining, similarly the vast majority of homestead frauds are not chargeable to practical farming; but the intent to popular prejudice has been made in the name of the mining industry and in the name of the farmers of the country.

Mining Claims

"The mining laws," Mr. Graves says, "afford the greatest cloak for land frauds in the national forests, and fraudulent mining claims are initiated by men and interests having no connection whatever with the mining industry." The mining laws, for example, have been used to cover towns and timber claims, to secure farms and ranches, to locate mineral springs, sites for dams, water power sites, and stock watering places.

It has often been asserted that the national forests have operated as a barrier to legitimate mining development. Figures collected in Colorado during the past year show that, if anything, there is more activity in prospecting on the national forests than outside.

"As with the stock industry, the proper relations of the forest service with the mining industry should be co-operative."

Classifying Lands

One of the largest tasks of the service during the past year has been the classification of lands within the national forests in respect to their highest future use. This work was undertaken during 1913 on a more comprehensive scale than ever before, because there was a specific appropriation for the purpose.

Large areas are being classified where the amount of land chiefly valuable for agriculture warrants its being taken out of the forests, and it also takes care of areas on which detailed classification will disclose small areas suitable for agricultural development within the forests.

Cooperation With States

Cooperation with states in protecting forested watersheds from fire has brought about a cooperative field organization in fifteen states and the same arrangement is contemplated with three others.

WAS HERE FOR A DAY

How W. S. Mesick, former congressman from the 10th Michigan district, killed his deer this fall has caused to be a mystery, for "Dad" has confessed he could not find his way back, finally he came across two Swedes, finally he gave you \$10 for that deer," said Mesick.

"At take it," said the Swedes in chorus.

They took it and Mesick took the deer. Then he remembered he was broke. Quietly producing paper, he wrote a check telling the Swedes they could cash it at the nearest bank.

So Mr. Mesick was the hero. The deer was hung up in the first cabin, and the former senator was complimented on his skill—until next day. Then appeared two Swedes.

"No good," they said, waving Mesick's formidable check.

Then they cut down the deer and turned it away.

But Mr. Mesick as a hero—Detroit Free Press.

Water Power Development

The development of water power upon the national forests increased rapidly during the year, particularly in California. It is the purpose of the service to encourage power development in every possible way, while safeguarding the interests of the public. The maximum output from the permits now in force is nearly \$60,000,000.

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To Boston	From Boston
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## Sunday Trains

Portland Division
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Lowell aerie, Eagles, met in special session Tuesday night in Odd Fellows building in Middlesex street and initiated 25 new members. Next Tuesday evening the new officers will be installed. All members are invited to attend.

The many friends of Mr. Charles H. Mollay, the well known undertaker, rejoice to hear that he is fast recovering from his recent illness. Mr. Mollay has been laid up with pneumonia for the past few weeks and during that time the inquiries at his house have been almost continuous. He is now well on the road to recovery and unless something unforeseen occurs, it will not be long before his bounding face and cheery greeting will be seen and heard again on the streets.

## DEATHS

MCDONALD—Mrs. Martin F. McDonald died yesterday, at her home, 37 Fulton street, after an illness of nine weeks' duration. Decedent was 44 years of age and had been a constant attendant at St. Michael's church. Besides her husband, Martin F. McDonald, well known as the lithographer for the Lowell Opera house, who is survived by one daughter, Rose Etta, and two sons, John and Matthew McDonald.

BURNS—W. Howard Burns, the son of Joseph and Katherine (Howard) Burns, died last evening at the home of his parents, 144 Chapel street, aged 8 years, 6 months. Besides his par-

Notice to Members of the Celtic Associates

Of the Irish National Brotherhood to attend a meeting on Thursday evening, (New Year's night) Jan. 1, 1914, at 8 o'clock, for the election of officers. Signed. Secretary.

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The Sparkling Musical Comedy  
"Madame, Xcuse Me!"

Big Chorus, Clever Comedians

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ents, he leaves one sister, Miss Helen Burns.

COX—Mary A. Cox, an old and repected resident of Centralville, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 6 in the rear of 239 Lakeview avenue, aged 57 years. She leaves, besides her sister, Bridget Cox, three brothers, John, Patrick and Edward.

BENT—Miss Sarah J. Bent, an old resident of this city, died last evening at the home of Mrs. Florence W. Whitman, Chelmsford Centre. She leaves one nephew, Jessie J. Smith.

AZAREDO—Anthony Azaredo died last evening at the home of his parents, Manuel and Tomaza Azaredo, 67 Prince street, aged 13 months.

## FUNERALS

STRODDICK—The funeral services of Mrs. Jane Stroddick were held yesterday afternoon at the home of Isaac B. Roman, 48 Norcross street, and were largely attended. Rev. James Bancroft, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church, officiated. There were many beautiful flowers. The bearers were Isaac B. Roman, Fred Jenness, Ralph Stearns and Alvah M. Gilligan. Burial took place in the Edson cemetery where the committal service was read by Mr. Bancroft. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William J. Saunders.

AVERY—The funeral of Thompson Avery took place Wednesday afternoon at the home of his sister, Mrs. Chan. M. Kirby, 360 Wilder street. The services were conducted by Rev. William H. McLean, pastor of the Highland M. E. church. The bearers were Messrs. Charles M. Barlow, Charles H. Barlow, Edwin W. Kilpatrick and John M. Stanton. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Henley.

Among those who sent flowers were: Mrs. Thompson Avery, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gammon, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tuiley, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Barlow, Miss E. M. Gammon, Boston, Palace theatre; Boston; Mrs. K. A. Barton, No. Easton; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barlow, Mr. and Mrs. C. Vosper, West Bridgewater; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Kilpatrick, M. D. McKenna and Mrs. W. E. Nickles of Taun-

ton.

HYDE—The funeral of Henry W. Hyde took place from the chapel in the Lowell cemetery yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. C. A. Lincoln, pastor of the Kirk Street Congregational church, and burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The committal service was read at the grave by Rev. Mr. Lincoln. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker J. B. Corrier Co.

GIRL HAS FIANCE ARRESTED

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—George A. Southwick, a young Arlington hen-farmer, wife in the six days preceding Christmas and won Miss Luella Hannibal, talented South Eng young woman, and who failed to show up last Saturday to keep his promise to marry her, was in the city police, court yesterday charged with keeping two of Miss Hannibal's rings as souvenirs of their brief courtship and his almost marriage. He was placed on probation after promising to return the rings.

At noon, call for a copy of the noon edition of The Sun, on sale at all news stands.

IROQUOIS DISASTER RECALLED

CHICAGO, Jan. 1.—In the little hospital which was erected as a monument to the 576 victims of the Iroquois theatre fire of Dec. 30, 1903, friends and relatives of those who lost their lives, Tuesday attended the 10th annual meeting since the founding of the institution.

The annual report showed that the Iroquois Memorial Emergency hospital last summer treated more heat prostrations than all other Chicago hospitals.

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MONUMENTS, Associate, Friday eve.

CLOSING OUT

## FRAUD CHARGES

Ballot Law Commission  
Begins Investigation  
of Nomination Papers

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—Charges of fraud in the filing of nomination papers for candidates for mayor in the coming city election were given official attention today when the ballot law commission began an investigation. Irregularities in the signatures of the papers of both candidates, Congressman James M. Curley and Thomas J. Kenney, were alleged in petitions filed before the commission. The papers filed by former Congressman John A. Kelley, who later withdrew from the contest, and Ernest E. Smith, who failed to get enough signatures to secure a place on the ballot, also were examined. The committee likewise had before it Mr. Smith's petition that he be certified as a mayoralty candidate.

INDIVIDUAL averages over \$5:

A. Callahan \$5; G. Freeman \$4; B. Kirby \$3; A. R. Teiley \$2; L. Beauregard \$2; F. W. Kiltedge \$1; E. Bowen \$1; R. Smith \$0; E. Atkinson \$0; C. Johnson \$0; W. Benolt \$0; W. Keough \$0; Pearson \$0; James P. Grant \$0; G. Steele \$0; J. Dow \$0; McComb \$0; Courtney \$0; D. Greenleaf \$0; Wrenn \$0; William Wilson \$0; N. Beattie \$0; W. J. Pend \$0; P. Knight \$0; Kelley \$0; E. W. Dooley \$0; Frank \$0; Ton Parrett \$0; A. Stokes \$0; W. Ham Procator \$0.

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Iroquois ... 22 9 8 94.2

Cooncaunes ... 20 8 8 92.2

Samobots ... 17 7 7 76.4

Pawtuckets ... 14 10 7 77.6

Sixons ... 15 13 7 90.4

Stonehegan ... 12 16 7 90.2

Wampanoags ... 4 24 8 84.5

Nausetts ... 4 24 8 84.1

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Cloudy tonight, probably snow; Friday cloudy; high northerly winds.

# Surrender to United States

## JUDGE ENRIGHT GIVES ADVICE

Started New Year by Refraining From Imposing a Single Imprisonment on Offenders

Judge Enright started the new year off this morning in the local police court by refraining from imposing a single imprisonment upon any of today's docket. His advice to every defendant was to go forth and turn over a new leaf during the year 1914.

Walter F. Hayden was charged with drunkenness. It seems that Walter was once a collector for the Salvation Army, but has since slid back into his old ways. Supt. Welch informed the court that the defendant has been collecting garments under the guise of the Salvation Army and has been using the fruits of his labors for his own personal ends.

Judge Enright questioned the man closely for a few minutes and learned that he was ready to begin life over again on a different basis if given an opportunity. He was placed on probation for three months with a suspended jail sentence in view.

James F. Hansbury pleaded guilty to being drunk yesterday and did not deny the fact that he had loafed quite

a lot lately on account of his appetite for intoxicants.

Agent Richardson of the local charity board informed Judge Enright that the defendant's family was in needy circumstances. Upon the defendant's promise to care for his family in the future he was released.

Thomas W. Bagley of Boston took the auto of his employer, William McConnell, without permission yesterday and also without a license to operate it. The result of the two illegalities landed the auto against a tree and Bagley against the law. When Judge Enright heard the facts in the case and learned that the defendant was willing to settle for the wrecked car, he released him.

The case of Theophile Laferriere, charged with the non-support of his wife, proved a case of too much brother-in-law.

The defendant is working in New Bedford and has not been giving his wife the maintenance which she considered was due her. His defense was that the husband of his dead sister was too friendly with his wife. Judge Enright continued the case for a month in the hopes that the couple would reach some mutual agreement.

## OF THE MEXICAN FEDERAL ARMY IS EXPECTED SOON

PRESIDIO, Texas, Jan. 1.—(Noon).—The surrender of the whole federal army to the United States troops is expected momentarily.

Major McNamee, commanding the border patrol so advised the United States army authorities.

A message addressed by Major McNamee to General Hugh L. Scott at El Paso says:

"Heavy artillery fire continued in and about Ojinaga. Several hundred women and children came across and are under cover on this side." Many wounded came from different points up and down the river and are held in a church. Red Cross officials wired for three doctors and several nurses.

"I am still driving federal back, disarming them. I have now over 200 rifles, other arms and ammunition."

"Expect at any time during the fight greater part of the federal army, possibly two or three thousand, may be forced to cross the river."

I have made disposition to disarm and hold them if this takes place. At this hour I have one troop patrolling between the town and the river and another riding the roads north of Ojinaga leading toward Shafter.

"A few shells fired by rebels fell close to or on the American bank of the river north of the town. No one was injured. I sent a demand to General Ortega warning him against consequences of such action. So far I have the situation well in hand."

(Signed) McNamee."

About 300 wounded on each side was as accurate an estimate as could be ascertained up to 12:30 p.m.

At that hour the firing continued with disastrous results to the federals. Ortega's rebel forces were gaining the approaches to the village with artillery fire. It appeared to observers on this side that the rebels would either capture the federal garrison or force the expected flight to the American side. The federal deserters continued to rush to the American side.

Major McNamee's patrol at once surrounded and disarmed the refugees and sent back all who were not wounded. No shots were coming across the river.

Between Ojinaga and the river stretches about a mile of flat land. Should the federals retreat across this it was feared they might possibly draw fire.

The border patrol at this point consists of less than 300 cavalry. If the federals cross the river the American soldiers will be confronted with the task of disarming 2000 or 3000 foreign soldiers.

The Red Cross had made such preparations for the care of the wounded as its limited means permit. More nurses, physicians and hospital supplies are expected.

### FORMER LAWRENCE MAN

Has Been Chosen Assistant City Engineer of City Manager Waite of Dayton, Ohio

LAWRENCE, Jan. 1.—James E. Barlow of Cincinnati, but formerly of this city, has been selected as chief assistant city engineer of City Manager Waite of Dayton, Ohio. The city manager has been selected by the city of Dayton for vast reforms and improvements in line with the city, one of the best of its size in the country.

Mr. Barlow formerly lived in Lawrence. His father is Richard H. Barlow, an overseer of printing and dyeing in the Pacific print works, and who now lives at Tozier's corner, Methuen. After completing a course in civil engineering, Mr. Barlow removed to Cincinnati, where he has been successful in city work. He was at one time on the Central bridge commission.

### THE STREET DEPARTMENT

The street department is doing business again at the old stand. The total number of men at work today aggregates 176; 52 sparrow men, 44 teamsters and 80 men in gangs. Some of the men are cutting down sidewalks. In sanding sidewalks, no snow is being removed from the streets.

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Mr. Murphy said he favored Mr. Murphy as secretary because he believed Mr. Murphy would be in a position to corral more valuable information than any other member of the board.

Mr. Murphy said he was interested in the work of the planning board and would work hard to make a success of it, but he thought it might stimulate greater interest to appoint some other member as secretary. After further discussion, Mr. Crook was elected secretary, and as Mr. Crook was not present, Mr. Murphy was appointed secretary pro tem.

The next move had to do with a place of meeting, and city hall seemed the unanimous choice. Mr. Murphy suggested that the board might work in harmony and in conjunction with the park commission.

Mr. Bowers asked how often it would be necessary for the planning board to meet, and it was agreed that it would be necessary to meet at least once a week, in the beginning at least.

Mr. Bowers thought that the planning board might use the old councilmanic committee room and it was allowed that the proposition was a good one.

The city messenger was called in and stated that he could prepare the room in question for the board, without expense, using stored furniture.

The mayor said his purpose in calling the meeting was to organize and after the room had been selected the question of time of meeting was discussed. The secretary pro tem was instructed to communicate with the mayor-elect and ask him to set a time for the next meeting as the mayor-elect will be chairman of the board.

### PURPOSE OF BOARD

The act to provide for the establishment of local planning boards by cities and towns was passed by the legislature for 1913 and its duties include the making of careful studies of the resources, possibilities and needs of the city or town, particularly with respect to conditions which may be injurious to the public health or otherwise injurious in and about rented dwellings, and to make plans for the development of the municipality with special reference to the proper housing of its people.

The board must report annually to the city council giving information regarding the condition of the city and any plans or proposals for the development of the city and estimates of the cost thereof, and the board must file a copy of all reports made by it with the homestead commission, and the homestead commission, created by chapter six hundred and seven of the acts of the year 1912, is directed to call the attention of the mayor and city government to the provisions of the act in such form as may seem proper and the commission is further authorized and directed to furnish information and suggestions from time to time to city governments and to local planning boards, such as may, in its judgment, tend to promote the purposes of the act and those for whom the commission was established.

The city council is authorized to make suitable ordinances for carrying out the purposes of the act and they may appropriate money therefor.

### INVESTIGATED LOCAL FIRE

Pire Marshal Horagan of Boston investigated the fire which occurred in the cigar store of Shawcross Brothers on East Merrimack street Tuesday night, and during the investigation had the proprietors of the store under examination. The Inspector expressed the opinion that the fire was started by mice and matches in the showcase.

### DROWNED WHILE SKATING

NEW BEDFORD, Jan. 1.—Edward Wood, 29, of Westport factory, was drowned today while skating on the ice on Noguchoko lake.

Next week in "Quarter-Week" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

### A Happy New Year

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### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

There will be a meeting this evening at 8 o'clock to take action on the death of our late brother, Thomas H. Lawler.

WILLIAM F. THORNTON, G. K. There will be a meeting of the Fourth Degree members this evening at 8 o'clock to take action on the death of our late brother, Thomas H. Lawler.

WALTER H. HICKEY, F. X.

## WE SHOULD WORRY

The Mandamus Says You Shall—  
Bill in Equity Says You Shan't—  
Take Your Choice and be Good

The supreme judicial court at Boston will have a rather unusual condition to deal with tomorrow and Lowell will be at the bottom of it. In the first place the city will have to answer to mandamus proceedings brought by the attorney general at the instigation of the state board of health to compel the city of Lowell to comply with the law

in the erection of a contagious disease or isolation hospital.

On the other hand the city will have to answer to a bill in equity brought by Qua, Howard & Rogers, attorneys for the remonstrants to the erection of a hospital on the Dr. Pillsbury estate in Belvidere. The situation will no

certainly a most unusual one.

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## BIG ROW AT CITY HALL

Alderman Brown and Board of Trade Secretary Had Another Battle—  
Mayor Adjourns Meeting in Wild Confusion

The new year was begun at city hall with an uproarious meeting and it looked for a time as if the way was being paved to a personal encounter when Mayor O'Donnell adjourned the meeting. The gallery and side seats were well filled when the row started. Alderman Brown was the first man to the front. He recited a statement made yesterday by Secretary John J. Murphy of the Lowell board of trade. The statement was to the effect that the cost of sewer work in Middlesex street in 1912 was almost double the cost of sewer work there in 1908. Mr. Brown and others of the commissioners of streets and highways. The matter of the abatement was first taken up on Tuesday, continued

until yesterday, continued again and resumed today. It is still in the air because the mayor was obliged to adjourn the meeting this forenoon on account of the storm that threatened to envelop the councilmanic chamber.

What Took Place

Mayor O'Donnell called to order at 11:30 o'clock, the meeting having been delayed because of a meeting of the planning board which the mayor had to attend. Aldermen Barrett and Donnelly were not present at the meeting of the council. Mr. Donnelly was absent.

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## COUPONS CASHED No Delay

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## Athletes and Athletics

The many friends of Henry Bailey, last year's captain of the high school track team and all around athlete, will be greatly disappointed to learn that he has been forced out of athletics for the remainder of the year at least by an injury to his arches. The physicians are not certain yet as to the nature of the injury but have warned Henry to keep out of track athletics this winter.

The best road lawyers in the country are at a loss as to the respective standings of player and club owner. The counsel for the Federal League has announced that if the two major organizations try to enjoin any of their players that he will prosecute them criminally under the Sherman anti-trust law. On the other hand Ban Johnson is delighted at the thought of a battle with the Federals. If you believe us you'll bet on Ban Johnson not to be last in any race he ever enters.

Frank Klaus until his recent decisive defeat by George Chip, middle-weight champion of the world, retired from the ring in a position of independence. Klaus unless he throws his savings away, will never have to work again. His manager claims that the Dutchman has banked well over \$100,000 in his ring career. Klaus has the reputation of being a square boxer and has always been on the level with the promoters.

Dan Clancy has announced that he will surely give Haverhill a ball club next season. The only possible obstacle which could have stood in the way seems to have been cleared up for Dan asserts with vehemence that he has at last secured suitable grounds for his club. The Haverhill baseball association which owns the old grounds will be the big loser if the new park is erected.

By the same token baseball affairs in Lynn are not at all what they were a year ago. To begin with last year's aggregation did not land as high as the papers and public thought for and in the second place their park is likely to be sold. If the latter event really goes through the owners will be in a bad way for Ocean Park is the only enclosed diamond where organized baseball could be played in Lynn.

R. O. Sweeney added another victory to his long New England life by defeating Battling Terry of Brooklyn in Marlboro. R. J. Terry was all but gone in the seventh round when the referee stopped the bout. Out of the first New England fight that Sweeney

### CONCORD LEAGUE

Brownies Win From Arlingtons In Only Contest—Martin Was High Man Last Night

The Brownies had an easy time last night with the Arlingtons in their Concord league match on the Y. M. C. alleys taking two out of the three strings and winning the game by the

score of 1323 to 1272. Martin of the winning team was high man with 252 for a total and 102 for a single. The score:

Arlingtons: King, 226; Hamilton, 265; Devine, 256; Pope, 266; Moran, 270; totals, 1272.

Brownies: T. Clark, 273; Martin, 282; Smith, 263; Cannoncon, 250; Murphy, 225; totals, 1223.

## HOLDS RECORD FOR CONTINUOUS PLAY WITH ONE BALL TEAM



FRED CLARKE

Fred Clarke, the great captain-manager of the Pittsburgh National baseball team, has signed his twenty-first consecutive contract with the Pirate team. This is the record for continuous service with a single big league team, and yet Clarke played the game last year with all the vim that one

could expect of a youngster. Clarke isn't worrying about discovering the fountain of youth. He doesn't have to.

### V. M. C. A. SOCIAL

A well enjoyed social under the auspices of the high school committee was held at the V. M. C. A. last evening and the affair was well attended. The

program of music, dramatics and comedy games proved a big success.

The musical and dramatic efforts were produced by Paul T. Savage, violinist; Grace Kendrick, soloist; Marjorie Arnold, reader, and Edward Dilts, pianist. Every number rendered by these entertainers was heartily appreciated by those present.

Charles Barton and Edward Leadbetter in "The Indescribable Plums" gave their audience a hearty laugh by their immobility of countenance during

their part of the program. Walter French and Alfred Fletcher were the winners of the amusing needle threading contest.

Hugo Markland won the under water contest in the swimming pool and exhibitions in aquatics were given by Charles Barton, Guy McLeod, John Merritt, Merrill Morris and Donald Fletcher. Moving pictures under the management of Ernest Orrell were the

closing feature of the program. The committee in charge of the successful affair were as follows: Guy McLeod, chairman; Emil Hartford, president; Jefferson Mansfield, Merrill Morris and Raymond Leland. The patrons of the evening were F. A. Bowen, president of the association, Miss Adele Stickney and Miss Alice Richardson.

## NEW DRUG LAW

All Pharmacists in State

Must be Licensed—  
New Rules

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—With the starting of the new year, the state board of pharmacy will enforce some new regulations for the protection of the public at large. An act passed at the last session of the legislature and inserted in chapter 705 makes it compulsory for a registered druggist to be present in a store whenever a prescription or a drug of dangerous character is sold.

Besides this, all drug stores must be licensed and have the license posted in the store, all drug stores are to be subject to inspection, and any violation of the new rules of the state board may subject the druggist, if convicted, to a fine not to exceed \$1000.

A great many druggists are under the impression that the new law, which takes effect today, forces them to shut up shop at such times as, being obliged to go out for meals, they have no registered drug clerk in their employ. This is not so, according to Agent Joseph C. Russell of the board of pharmacy.

So far as carrying on any drug business is concerned it is true. But the registered druggist, proprietor or employee, in leaving an unregistered man to take care of the store until his return, is allowed to have his store sell such articles as would be sold in a grocery or any other store.

Massachusetts is the only New England state to enforce the licensing system. Its object, according to Mr. Russell, is to furnish the board with a great deal more information than it has heretofore been able to get. The application blank obliges the parties who operate the drug store to state its owner, whether it is a partnership, when the partnership was formed and the names of the registered and unregistered clerks. It calls attention to the fact that no unregistered partner of a store shall be actively engaged in the drug business.

The new law makes it clearly apparent that it is a violation for an unregistered clerk to sell what pharmacists call spiritus frumenti, and a great many people call "booze." In the list of things the unregistered clerk may sell is Jamaica ginger and other essences which are intoxicating, but it does not make mention that spiritus frumenti may be sold.

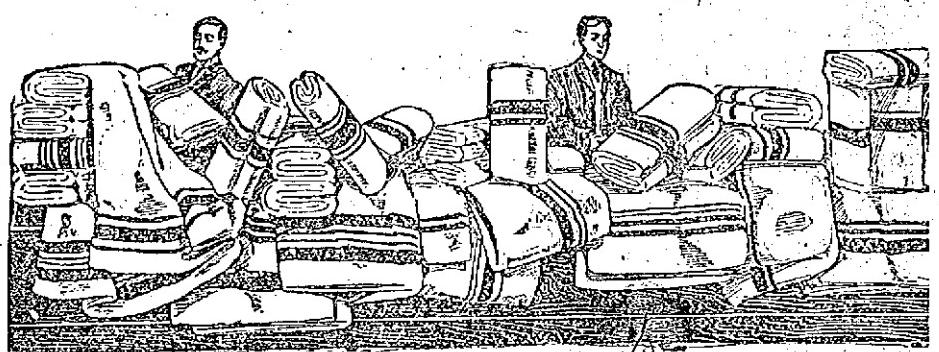
A great many times druggists, when arraigned in court for illegal sales of liquor, have pleaded that sales were made by their clerks. But the new statute admonishes that the head of the store must instruct his force that no one in the store can sell liquor but a registered drug clerk.

The law does not bar the sale of patent and proprietary medicines or, in general, any of the drugs broadly described as being "good old-fashioned home remedies."

Some of the smaller dealers last year fought the proposed law on the ground that its enforcement would mean that they must hire registered drug clerks. The state board of pharmacy disclaims this and says that the sole reason for the law is to have drug stores registered and have the responsibilities definitely placed for prescriptions which may have been bungled in the compounding.

## The Bon Marché

LOWELL'S MOST PROGRESSIVE STORE



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98c Blankets for .....	75c Pair	\$3.95 Blankets for .....	\$2.98 Pair
\$1.49 Blankets for .....	98c Pair	\$4.95 Blankets for .....	\$3.98 Pair
\$1.98 Blankets for .....	\$1.49 Pair	\$5.95 Blankets for .....	\$4.98 Pair
\$2.49 Blankets for .....	\$1.75 Pair	\$6.95 Blankets for .....	\$5.49 Pair

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This lot consists of every piece of Wooltex in the store, also all other high price garments. Some are late arrivals and just the thing for early spring wear, at this ridiculously low price. Sizes 14 to 44 and a few extra sizes in Suits.

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OF  
Adler-Rochester

**\$16.50**

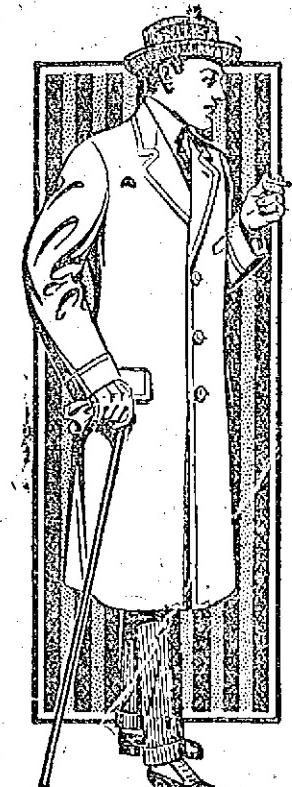
VALUE \$20 to \$30

We are putting on sale our entire stock of Adler-Rochester Suits and Overcoats. The materials are of the richest, most becoming shades of the fashion.

Suits are two and three button style, patch and plain pockets, high cut vest, semi-peg pants. Overcoats are single and double breasted, shawl and notch collars, plain and half belt, chinchilla, shetland cloth, in gray, blue and brown.

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\$20 Overcoats . . .	\$14.50
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"THE MILITARY MAIDS AND STE WART" AT KEITH'S THIS WEEK.

## \$4500 BIT OF RADIUM MISSING

**Chicago Police Continued Search for Capsule Containing Speck**

**Dr. Jacobi of New York Says Radium Cured Him of Cancer**

**CHICAGO, Jan. 1.—Search by police and hospital authorities failed to disclose any clue to 35 milligrams of radium, believed to have been lost or stolen several days ago while being used in the treatment of a cancer patient.**

**Unless the person having the precious particle of radium—it is half the size of a pin's head and is worth \$4500—in his possession knows how to protect himself from its influence, it may kill him, according to the hospital physicians.**

**Impossible to Sell It**

If, instead of being stolen, it is mislaid, it will declare its presence by its influence on whatever substances are around it.

The speck of radium was imported from France by St. Luke's hospital. It was kept in a platinum capsule an eighth of an inch in diameter and three-quarters of an inch long.

Its last appearance known to the hospital staff was when the capsule was placed in an incision in the arm of a woman patient. After several treatments it was found that the capsule was inactive. The capsule was opened and it was found that the radium was gone. It would be impossible to sell the



DR. JACOBI

missing bit of radium, it was said. A record is kept of every particle known to exist in the world, and this piece is on that register.

**CURED OF CANCER**

**NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Dr. Abraham Jacobi, the well known medical practitioner, says he has been cured of cancer by radium, but that the public should not assume too quickly that radium will cure all forms of cancer completely. "I am a living example of the cure," says Dr. Jacobi.**

**WATCHED NEW YEAR IN**

**Services in Five Churches—Large Congregation and Singing at St. Anne's Church**

Watch night services, under the auspices of the Federation of Churches, were held in five of the local churches with large congregations at each. The scene at St. Anne's was a most impressive one. The church was packed to the doors when, at 10:15 o'clock, the vestry choir sang carols in the church yard. At 10:45 the organist, Charles E. Brown, gave a brief organ recital. Then the doors of the choir room were thrown open, and the procession of choir boys and men entered, followed by the Guild of St. Cecilia, and by the visiting clergymen and the rector and curate. They sang the processional hymn as they marched down one side aisle and up another to the chapel.

In the service Rev. N. W. Matthews and Rev. A. C. Ferri read the lessons. Rev. Appleton Grannis preached a brief sermon, and the service was closed with silent prayer, the congregation remaining on their knees until the church bells announced the midnight hour. The music of the chimes greeted the New Year and familiar hymns were played as the congregation left the church.

**First Baptist Church**

The other churches in which watch night services were held were the First Baptist, Highland, Methodist, St. Paul's M. E. and French Baptist churches. At 10:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church the organist, Wilfred Kershaw, gave a short organ recital and the Weber male quartet of Boston sang several selections. The formal program was opened about 11 o'clock, the doxology and invocation being given by Rev. James Bancroft of St. John's Episcopal church, and the responsive

reading was by the pastor of the church, Rev. H. S. Pinkham. There was a selection by the quartet, and this was followed by Scripture reading by Rev. Charles T. Billings of the Unitarian church. Prayer was offered by Rev. A. Jackson and after congregational singing, Rev. A. Frederic Dunnett delivered the sermon. Its subject was, "Lay Aside the Weights."

Just before the coming of the new year the gathering joined in prayer and the services were brought to a close by the singing of "Never, My God, to Thee," by the quartet.

**HIGHLAND METHODIST**

At the Highland M. E. church, beginning at 10 o'clock, communion service was held, and at 10:45 o'clock the sacred music program was begun.

Mrs. Leroy Smith and Mrs. Grace Baker were the soloists. Rev. J. M. Craig of the First Presbyterian church spoke at considerable length, and he was followed by Rev. W. Henry McLean, who preached a sermon on "The Serious Dawn of the New Year."

**French Baptist Church**

At the French Baptist church the following program was carried out: Violin solo, "Angels' Serenade;" Miss Marguerite Ramette; selection, "Le Prieur;" Mrs. Alice Leith Sturtevant; violin selection, Miss Marguerite Ramette; singing by the congregation; singing by the organist.

**O'Brien's Sweeping Alteration Sale**

IS THE BIG CLOTHING EVENT OF THE NEW YEAR

**\$25,000 Worth of Men's High Grade Clothing and Furnishings  
AT SWEEPING PRICE REDUCTIONS**

Alterations that will greatly enlarge our clothing capacity and improve our store efficiency are planned to begin about Feb. 1st. The dust and dirt incident to such alterations are ruinous to fine clothes. It's imperative that this merchandise be moved—and moved quickly. We need the room for the workmen and we can't afford to take chances with the damage liable from dust and dirt.

We have decided to take our loss NOW, and have made SWEEPING REDUCTIONS in price on our entire stock of Men's Fine Clothing and except for a few branded articles, our stock of Men's Furnishings and Hats; which should result in a quick disposal of our entire stock.

Men of Lowell, this is no ordinary sale. You know the high character of our merchandise and the honesty of our methods. We say to you, here's a chance to save real money on high grade seasonable merchandise just when you need the goods. You'll not soon again get a chance at our kind of merchandise at the prices we offer them at today. It's an opportunity for you, don't be slow to grasp it.

**Sweeping Reductions on  
MEN'S SHIRTS**

Manhattan Shirts and Dress Shirts Excepted.

\$1.00 Shirts .....	79c
\$1.50 Shirts .....	\$1.15
\$2 and \$2.50 Shirts.....	\$1.85

**MEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS  
AND PAJAMAS**

50c Night Shirts.....	39c
\$1 Night Shirts and Pajamas	79c
\$1.50 Pajamas .....	\$1.15
\$2.00 Pajamas .....	\$1.85

**MEN'S UNDERWEAR**

50c Ribbed Shirts, Drawers .....	39c
\$1 Wool Shirts and Drawers .....	79c
\$1 Union Suits .....	79c
\$1.50 Ribbed Union Suits .....	\$1.15
\$3 Worsted Union Suits .....	\$2.35

**MEN'S SWEATERS**

\$3.00 Sweaters .....	\$2.35
\$5.00 Sweaters .....	\$3.75
\$6.00 Sweaters .....	\$4.75
\$7.00 Sweaters .....	\$5.75

**MEN'S GLOVES**

Our Special O'Brien \$1.15 Cape Gloves .....	85c
Our Special O'Brien \$1.50 Cape Gloves .....	\$1.15
\$1.50 Wool Lined Gloves .....	\$1.15
\$2.50 Wool Lined Gloves .....	\$1.88
\$5.00 Fur Lined Gloves .....	\$3.75

**MEN'S SUSPENDERS AND BELTS**

25c Suspenders and Belts .....	19c
50c Suspenders and Belts .....	39c
25c Paris and Brighton Garters	19c
25c Arm Elastics .....	19c
15c Arm Elastics .....	9c

THE  
SMART  
CLOTHES  
SHOP

**SWEEPING REDUCTIONS ON****Stein-Bloch Suits and Overcoats**

And Those of Other Makes We Carry

\$12.50 and \$15.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS	\$15.00 and \$17.50 SUITS AND OVERCOATS
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**\$9.75      \$12.50**

\$20.00 and \$22.50 SUITS AND OVERCOATS	\$22.50 SUITS AND OVERCOATS
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**\$16.75**

\$25.00 and \$27.50 SUITS AND OVERCOATS	\$30.00 and \$35.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS
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**\$19.75      \$23.75**

**SWEEPING REDUCTIONS IN****Men's Trousers, Fancy Vests,  
Raincoats and Bath Robes**

\$2.50 Trousers .....	\$1.85	\$10.00 Raincoats .....	\$6.75
\$3.00 Trousers .....	\$2.35	\$15.00 Raincoats .....	\$12.50
\$4.00 Trousers .....	\$3.25	\$5.00 Bath Robes .....	\$3.75
\$5.00 Trousers .....	\$3.75	\$6.00 Bath Robes .....	\$4.75
\$6.00 Trousers .....	\$4.75	\$7.50 Bath Robes .....	\$5.75
\$2.50 Fancy Vests .....	\$1.65	\$10.00 Bath Robes .....	\$7.75
\$3.50 Fancy Vests .....	\$2.35	\$12 and \$15 Bath Robes .....	\$9.75
\$5.00 and \$6.00 Raincoats .....	\$3.75		

**NOTE:**

BRING THIS AD. WITH YOU, CHECK OFF ITEMS YOU'RE INTERESTED IN, YOU'LL FIND THE LOTS AND PRICES JUST AS ADVERTISED.

**D. S. O'BRIEN CO.,**  
222 MERRIMACK STREET, LOWELL

OLD  
CITY  
HALL  
BUILDING

Miss M. Ramette; song, Edward Des-Forges; recitation, Albert Mertrud; slinging by the congregation; refreshments; prayer; benediction by Rev. E.

C. Ramette, pastor of the church, and

the watch night services at St. Paul's M. E. church. The services lasted from

year. A testimonial meeting was held

and familiar hymns were sung.

Saturday, January 3rd, is "Quarter Day" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

Montauks, Associate, Friday eve.

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# FIRE-FIRE Smoke and Water

PELLETIER, LEDOUX & CO. 514 Merrimack Street

# THE GREAT FIRE, SMOKE AND WATER SALE

Commences at 9 O'Clock Tomorrow Morning

Everybody within ten miles of Lowell must have heard of the great fire that occurred in this large dry goods store about three weeks ago. This store is known by many as the bargain store center and leading dry goods store in the city. We have no time to write advertisements as to what can be found at this store. We suffered loss of thousands of dollars, and yet we have thousands of dollars' worth of stock to offer to the public. This stock consists of everything that is found in a well stocked dry goods house. All we wish to say is that the SALE OPENS TOMORROW AT 9 O'CLOCK. Having adjusted our insurance, we are at liberty now to give away the merchandise if we so desire, and it would seem almost like giving away merchandise, when you see how far your money will go at this wonderful fire, smoke and water sale. Simply be on hand and get your share of these bargains. You may not want the goods today or this month, but buy for the future while you have an opportunity.

REMEMBER THE SALE STARTS TOMORROW A. M.

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## THE ICE HARVEST HARD TIMES DID IT

Old Methods Used for Crops From Norway Lakes

The methods used to obtain the ice harvest in Norway are very primitive, says a writer in the Wide World Magazine. To begin with, the ice lake is cut up by means of a small plow drawn by a pony. Two long cuts, with a space of 20 inches between them, are made along the lake and, then, men armed with huge saws cut the strip of ice thus separated into blocks each 20 inches square.

The next step is to take the blocks of ice to the storehouses, at which the ice ships can call. The first stage of the journey is simple enough. The ice-harvesters have already cut a channel in the lake. Could anything be easier than pushing the blocks of ice along the channel so made? This argues, of course, that some of the blocks are then removed from one end of the channel. They are taken to the head of a shipway, from which point they are in position for the final journey overland.

These shipways require one free-standing of the modern switchback railroads. The ice blocks are allowed to slide along a set of very rough and ready wooden lines hemmed in with wooden railings so that the ice blocks shall not slip away and be lost.

The ice block passes under the plank and its speed is checked considerably when it reaches the centre of the plank but it is not stopped entirely and it goes on its journey at a much slower speed. In spite of the use of these brakes, however, the end of the journey is generally reached quickly, and means have to be devised for stopping the blocks at convenient places. One arrangement is to put some inclined planes at the end of the shipway and a rough and ready kind of buffer, made of a trunk of a tree at the top of the planes. The ice blocks come rushing down the shipway and up to the planes. A man standing at this point prevents the blocks from slipping back onto the line and thus getting in the way of the oncoming train. He then guides the ice blocks to a place of safety, from which they are passed on to the store house by the mere act of pushing them there.

Mrs. Mary Barry, a resident of this city for the past ten years, where she has successfully conducted a boarding house, has sold out her business and next week she will go to Joliet, Ill., where she will make her home.

DEATH TAKES ASTRONOMER

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—Professor Seth C. Chandler, who won fame as an astronomer, died yesterday at his home, 17 Cushing street, Wellesley, after a short illness.

Professor Chandler was one of the best-known astronomers in the country, having won several gold medals for research work. He was a member of the royal astronomy club of England, Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, foreign associate member of the Royal Astronomical Society of London and member of the American Academy of Science.

Professor Chandler was 67 years of age. He is survived by his wife and six children. The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon from the home, and burial will be in Mt. Auburn cemetery.

The production of the Lowell plant

The Musketquid mill, a branch of

the United States Worsted Co., one of

the largest worsted industries in the

country, situated at the corner of Howe

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# AVERT STRIKES IN MASS.

State Arbitration Board Issues  
Plea to Workers and Employers  
—First of its Kind in 27 Years

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—For the purpose of averting strikes in Massachusetts in 1914, the state board of conciliation and arbitration today issued a message to employers and employees directing their attention to the laws provided for their use in case of threatened strikes or lockouts, and points out to them that it is a duty they owe to the public to exhaust all peaceful and legal methods before resorting to a breach of industrial peace.

The board holds that the public is an innocent third party in all controversies, and is entitled to the same protection which should be accorded the other two parties. In this connection the board says:

"During strike or lockout each party engaged in the controversy endeavors to win public sentiment for his side to the end that its moral support may help him in sustaining his contention. In 1914 the parties should make every effort to consider public welfare before strike or lockout. If public sentiment is of value after a strike or lockout, it surely should be respected before either takes place."

In event of controversy arising over working conditions or wages, the board urges the employer and employee to confer together and try to reach an agreement; if they cannot agree the board advocates arbitration; but if one of the parties will not accept this method of settling the dispute, the other should petition for a public investigation and report before resorting to strike or lockout.

If the employer refuses to adopt the board's recommendation, the board says, "or the employees are not satisfied with it, and both are unwilling or unable to compose their differences, the parties, having exhausted the methods provided by statute, may then—AND NOT UNTIL THEN—be justified in using strike or lockout as a means to enforce demands."

The document is the first of its kind the board has issued in its 27 years of existence, but it is in line with the policy of the commission in its endeavor to substitute more efficient and less expensive methods than strikes and lockouts. The board has quietly investigated methods in use in other states and Canada, besides sitting in judgment upon 126 cases of arbitration jointly submitted by parties in many classes of industry in 1913. "Chances are very much in favor of averting the strike if action along these lines is followed," is the opinion of the board, which is based upon observations in this state and elsewhere. Of 145 controversies investigated by boards of inquiry under the industrial disputes act of Canada, strikes were averted in 128 cases.

The board's message in part is as follows:

Let the strike or lockout as a method of enforcing demands be held in reserve as a final resort. There were 221 strikes in Massachusetts in 1913 affecting directly over 39,000 employees and employers in many lines of industry. The loss in wages and disturbed production was enormous. The cost to the public as a result of this abnormal industrial turmoil is beyond accurate estimate.

The state board of conciliation and arbitration, as a result of its investigation of these controversies, is of opinion that the number of strikes would be very much lessened if the parties took advantage of the opportunities provided by the acts of the general court. The board is taking this method of informing all employers and employees in Massachusetts of their duty to the public and the advantages

of employing the services of the state board of conciliation and arbitration, room 128, state house, Boston.

## NEW MEXICO METAL

### INCREASED MINE OUTPUT OF GOLD, SILVER, COPPER AND ZINC—DECREASE IN LEAD

Large gains were made in the production of the precious and semiprecious metals in New Mexico in 1913, according to preliminary estimates by Charles W. Henderson, of the United States Geological Survey. The mine production of gold showed an increase of \$100,000 over the output of \$784,446 in 1912; that of silver, an increase of 100,000 ounces over the production of 1,856,401 ounces in 1912; lead, a decrease of \$90,000 pounds from the yield of 5,494,015 pounds in 1912; copper, an increase of 20,000,000 pounds over the yield of 4,830,361 pounds in 1912; and zinc (figured as spelter or zinc in zinc oxide), an increase of 8,000,000 pounds over the output of 14,586,837 pounds in 1912. Despite lower average yearly prices for copper and zinc, the total value of the output was \$11,620,000, an increase for 1913 of over \$3,000,000.

The Mogollon district, in Socorro county, which in 1912 yielded 67 per cent. of the state yield of gold and 71 per cent. of the silver yield, showed an increase of \$100,000 in gold and 270,000 ounces of silver, in output of gold-silver bullion, concentrates, and ore. The gold and silver-bearing silicons and copper ores of the Lordsburg district also contributed heavily to the output of gold and silver. An increased yield of gold and silver was made from the White Oaks district, Lincoln county. The Elizabethtown district, in Colfax county, continued as the most important silver-producing district and also shipped an increased tonnage of ore.

### Copper Ores Mined By Steam Shovels

The greater part of the production of copper comes from the operations of the China Copper Co., which is mining a low-grade deposit at Santa Rita by steam shovels. This ore is concentrated at Hurley, where the 5,000-ton mill was operated steadily. In 1912 the gross production of copper in concentrated and ore was 29,377,966 pounds, while in 1913 the yield of copper was approximately 53,571,000 pounds. The Lordsburg district also produced a considerable quantity of copper, and copper ore was also shipped from the Burro Mountain district where in 1913 active development work was done, including the completion of

a railroad from Whitewater, and where a mill is in prospect. The copper mines and smelter at San Pedro, Santa Fe county, also contributed to the copper yield.

The lead output of New Mexico comes chiefly from ore from the Central district, Grant county; from lead ore and concentrates from the Magdalena district, Socorro county; and from ore from the Victorio district, Luna county. A few small shipments were made from the Organ district, Dona Ana county, formerly an important producer of lead.

Mines producing zinc in 1913 in New Mexico were in the Magdalena district, Socorro county; in the Cooks and Victorio districts, Luna county; and in the Hanover and Pinos Altos districts, Grant county. The Magdalena district is the most productive, the shipments of both zinc concentrates from the mills and of zinc carbonate showing an increase. The wet concentration and magnetic mill of the Tri-Bullion Co. closed in July, but the new wet concentration and acid flotation mill of the Ozark Co. commenced production in March and had a heavy output from August throughout the year, and the shipments of zinc carbonate from the Ambrosia, Juniper, Ozarks and Tri-Bullion mines increased. Zinc ore and concentrates as marketed from New Mexico increased from 21,588 tons of 36.9 per cent. zinc in 1912 to 32,189 tons of 39.9 per cent. in 1913.

On account of the increasing demand for an early edition of The Sun, a noon edition is now issued daily. It is on sale by newsboys and at all news stands.

## FLEE FROM FIRE

Malden Y. M. C. A. Was  
Damaged by Fire—  
\$10,000 Loss

MALDEN, Jan. 1.—For the second time within a year the building of the Malden Y. M. C. A. on Pleasant street was damaged by fire early today. Forty young men rooming in the building were driven from their beds and made their way through the dense smoke to the street. No one was injured. The blaze was confined to the basement and ground floor and the loss will not exceed \$10,000.

# A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

## "Why, It's 1914"—A Happy New Year to You

THE second installment of the Department Clearances opened today. Four sections are ready offering new bargains to discerning shoppers, first and most important of which is the ANNUAL JANUARY SELLING OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, AND WE FULLY BELIEVE THAT THE FOLLOWING "MARK DOWNS" REPRESENT THE MOST ATTRACTIVE VALUES OF THE SEASON.



WEST SECTION

**Combinations**—Cover and drawer, which are slightly soiled, made of all over hamberg. Regular price \$1.98. Marked down to ..... \$1.98  
**Combinations**—Made of batiste and fine nainsook, trimmed with val, fisheye and elmy laces. Regular price \$2.08. Marked down to ..... \$1.50 and \$1.98  
**Combinations**—Made of fine nainsook trimmed with dainty embroideries, also pretty laces, slightly soiled. Regular price \$1.50. Marked down to ..... \$1.00  
**Combinations**—Made of very fine material, trimmed with exquisite embroideries, also dainty laces. Regular price \$1.00. Marked down to ..... 79c  
**Sample Gowns**—Made of silk batiste or fine nainsook, trimmed with val, elmy and shadow laces, also beading and ribbons. Regular price \$4.98. Marked down to ..... \$2.98  
**Gowns**—Made of fine nainsook, trimmed with elaborate laces, also exquisite embroideries, also beading and ribbons. Regular price \$2.98. Marked down to ..... \$1.98  
**Gowns**—Made in low neck and short sleeves which are hand embroidered, trimmed with linen and elmy laces. Regular price \$1.50. Marked down to ..... \$1.00

**Gowns**—Made of fine nainsook, made in V, high or low neck, trimmed with exquisite laces also pretty embroideries. Regular price \$1.50. Marked down to ..... \$1.00  
**Outing Flannel Gowns**—Made of good heavy outing flannel, good full sizes. Regular price 79c. Marked down to ..... 59c  
**Outing Flannel Petticoats**—Made of heavy dark blue outing flannel. Regular price 25c. Marked down to ..... 10c  
**Children's Drawers**—Made of good quality cotton, sizes from 2 to 8 years. Regular price 19c. Marked down to ..... 5c Pair  
**Chemise**—Slightly soiled, made of very fine nainsook, trimmed with exquisite embroideries. Regular price \$1.98. Marked down to ..... \$1.50  
**Chemise**—Made of batiste or fine nainsook, trimmed with dainty lace medallions, also dainty embroideries. Regular price \$1.50. Marked down to ..... 79c  
**Princess Slips**—Made of fine nainsook, trimmed with dainty laces and pretty embroideries. Regular price \$2.98. Marked down to ..... \$1.98, \$2.50

**Pajamas**—Ladies' pajamas, made of very nice material, also pretty colors. Regular price \$1.25. Marked down to ..... 79c  
**Corset Covers**—Slightly soiled, made of fine nainsook trimmed with elaborate laces and exquisite embroideries. Regular price \$1.00. Marked down to ..... 79c  
**White Petticoats**—Made of very fine material, fitted tops, with or without dust ruffle, trimmed with shadow, fisheye and val, laces, also exquisite embroideries. Regular price 79c. Marked down to ..... 50c  
**White Petticoats**—Made of fine nainsook, trimmed with elaborate laces and dainty embroideries. Regular price \$2.50. Marked down to ..... \$1.98  
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**Chemise**—Made of batiste or fine nainsook, trimmed with dainty lace medallions, also dainty embroideries. Regular price \$1.50. Marked down to ..... 79c  
**Chemise**—Made of fine material, trimmed with dainty laces and pretty embroideries. Regular price \$2.98. Marked down to ..... 50c

SECOND FLOOR

## STATIONERY

FOR 19c—Box paper, 2 quires, letter size, with envelopes, white. Regular price 25c.

FOR 25c—Paper cabinets, 2 quires, white. Regular price 35c.

FOR 35c—English Lawn Note Paper, white. Regular price 50c.

FOR 39c—Broken Cabinets Correspondence Cards, white. Regular price 39c.

FOR 45c—Irish Poplin Letter Paper. Regular price 45c.

FOR 50c—Initial Correspondence Cards, odd initials. Regular price 50c.

FOR 50c—Initial Letter Paper, odd initials. Regular price 50c.

FOR \$1.98—FANCY BOX—3 Quire Cabinet White Letter Paper. Regular price \$2.75.

FOR 65c—DICKENS' MEDALLIONS—Sam Weller, Mr. Weller, Mr. Pickwick, The Marchioness, Mrs. Bardell, Mrs. Sarah Camp, Mr. Micawber. Regular price 98c.

FOR \$2.50—Burns' Cottage, Alloway Ayr, Mr. Pickwick. Regular price \$3.75.

FOR \$1.50—The Birthroom, Shakespeare's House. Regular price \$2.25.

FOR 10c—English Plum Pudding. Regular price 39c.

FOR 5c—Business Envelopes, white. Regular price 5c package.

FOR 1c—Large Envelopes. Regular price 2c each.

FOR 5c—Blotters, slightly soiled. Regular price 5c each.

FOR 35c—Royal Irish Linen Correspondence Cards, twilight gray and blue. Regular price 50c, 60c, 75c.

FOR 39c—English Lawn Letter Paper, 1 quire, white. Regular price 50c.

FOR 50c—Royal Irish Linen, 1 quire in box, gilt edge, blue and gray, twilight gray with white edge. Regular price 75c.

FOR \$1.98—5 Quire Cabinet, white, 4 quires paper, 1 quire cards. Regular price \$2.75.

FOR \$1.25—3 Quire Fancy Box White Paper. Regular price \$1.75.

Marcus Ward 3 Quire Cabinet, blue, 3 Quire Cabinet, white. Regular price \$2.

Berlin & Jones 4 Quire Cabinet White Paper. Regular price \$1.75.

FOR \$1.50—Royal Irish Linen 4 Quire Cabinet, blue. Regular price \$2.25.

Berlin & Jones Blue and White 4 Quire Cabinet. Regular price \$2.25.

Royal Irish Linen, 1 quire white, 1 quire blue. Regular price \$2.50.

English Lawn 4 Quire Cabinet, blue and white. Regular price \$2.00.

FOR \$1.75—5 Quire Cabinet, pink, 4 quires paper, 1 quire cards. Regular price \$2.50.

4 Quire Cabinet White and Blue. Regular price \$2.75.

FOR \$1.98—5 Quire Cabinet, white, 4 quires paper, 1 quire cards. Regular price \$2.75.

## A 3 Days' Clearance

OF

## Black Dress Goods Only

THESE ITEMS ARE OFFERED TO YOU FOR THREE DAYS ONLY

Item No. 1, our first offer is an all worsted Storm Serge, beautiful black, 55 inches wide. Regular \$1.25 quality, at only 89c Yard

5 Pieces of 56 Inch French Wool Poplin, the new popular cloth for suits and separate skirts. The \$1.50 kind for \$1.00 Yard

3 Pieces of Wide Wale Coating, 54 inches. This cloth is just what you want for an all around garment. The regular price is \$1.50. For this sale ..... 89c Yard

Our Entire Line of Silk and Wool Fancy Voiles to be sold, all at one price, 79c yard. This fine, sheer fabric is very suitable for evening gowns. It is very soft and drapes perfectly. Fancy brocade and stripe pattern. Regular prices \$1.00 to \$1.50 yard. Closing out price for this sale, only ..... 79c Yard

600 Yards Black Dress Goods in remnants, to be closed out at this sale. In this lot there is a good variety of weaves, and the lengths run very good. Special price ..... 29c Yard

Our Complete Assortment of Black Worsted Dress Goods has been put into this sale. This is a good lot and the weaves are right. This is the lot that always sells first. 45 to 54 inch widths, 59c Yard

PALMER STREET

RIGHT AISLE

## CORSETS

### Discontinued Models in Redfords

One lot. Regular price \$5.00. Clearance sale price, only ..... \$3.50

One lot. Regular price \$3.00. Clearance sale price, only ..... \$2.00

One Lot. W. B.'s. Regular price \$1.50. Clearance sale price, only ..... \$2.49

One Lot W. B.'s. Regular price \$1.50. Clearance sale price, only ..... 98c

One Lot W. B.'s. Regular price \$2.00. Clearance sale price, only ..... \$1.49

One Lot P. N.'s. Regular price \$3.00. Clearance sale price, only ..... \$2.25

One Lot P. N.'s. Regular price \$1.00. Clearance sale price, only ..... 69c

One Lot Front Lace Corsets. Regular price \$5.00. Clearance sale price, only ..... \$3.50

A Few Brocades. Regular price \$6.50. Clearance sale price, only ..... \$4.80

Brassieres—50c quality, for this sale, only ..... 39c

\$1.50 quality, for this sale, only ..... 79c

These corsets and brassieres are discontinued models and broken sizes, but all good styles.

## ON SALE TODAY

### 5000 YARDS

## Silk and Cotton Wash Fabrics

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# THOMAS H. LAWLER DIES SUDDENLY

Victim of Apoplexy in Sudden Attack Last Evening



Sketch of His Career in Business—A Popular Young Man.

The business community of the city was shocked to hear this morning that Mr. Thomas H. Lawler, a well known and popular business man, had passed away suddenly last evening after a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Lawler had not enjoyed perfect health for some years past, but he kept about his business in the usual manner, and his untimely death has come as a shock to his friends. He was 46 years old.

On Christmas day Mr. Lawler became ill with an attack of the grip, but he attended to it promptly and with assiduous medical attention he recovered quickly. The fatal stroke of apoplexy came last evening at 9 o'clock and he died at 11:15. The sympathy of the community goes out to his wife and family in their bereavement.

Thomas H. Lawler was born in this city Jan. 28, 1865, and was the son of William and Bridget (Egan) Lawler. He was educated in the public schools and graduated from the high school in 1884. His parents were among the oldest citizens, having come here in 1849, and the late Mr. Lawler has always lived here.

After graduating from the high school he entered the employ of William J. Coughlin, a stationer and bookseller, at 3 Central street, and on Mr. Coughlin's retirement Mr. Lawler worked for the firm of Taylor Brothers from which he went to J. Merrill & Son. He started in business on his own account in May, 1891.

Although for the past few months Mr. Lawler was engaged in the real estate business, having purchased the business of W. E. Potter & Son, it was as a stationer and bookseller at 75 Merrimack street and 15 John street that he became best known. This store has been a book store for about 50 years, but when Mr. Lawler took possession he made many improvements and conducted the place in the most modern and scientific manner. In connection with his stationery business, he conducted a printing establishment known as the Lowell Printing Co. and a few years ago he decided to give all of his time and attention to his printing and so sold out his book store to R. E. Judd.

Mr. Lawler was unusually popular and will leave a wide circle of friends. He was a member of many social and fraternal organizations, including the Knights of Columbus of which he was past grand knight and a fourth degree member, the Elks, the Foresters of America and Lowell council, R. A. He was also a member of the Lowell board of trade and an ex-member of the Highland club and Vesper-Country club.

Mr. Lawler was married twice, his first wife being Miss Katherine Donovan, daughter of ex-Mayor Donovan, and his second, who survives him, Miss Grace O'Connor of Lawrence, a most devoted wife and mother.

THE LATE THOMAS H. LAWLER.

Besides his second wife he leaves a son and daughter named respectively Maurice and Mary; one brother, Dr. William F. Lawler of this city and four sisters, the Misses Annie M. and Elizabeth G. Lawler of Lowell, Mrs. Andrew Ford of Newton and Mrs. John Ford of Westboro, Mass.

Begin the New Year by opening an account in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank. Saturday, January 3d, is

#### COTTON WARNING

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Warning that American supremacy in cotton commerce may be wrested by foreign countries unless this government avails itself of the full measure of its resources has been submitted to the house committee on rivers and harbors in advocacy of the pending bill for an immediate appropriation of \$12,000,000 as the first instalment of the \$48,000,000 proposed by the Mississippi river commission for preventing floods on the Mississippi. The warning voiced by E. F. Busch, president of the Missouri Pacific railroad, sets forth that the principal European countries are spending millions of dollars in fostering the cotton industry. Lever protection, it is said, for the alluvial lands in the Mississippi delta would add 16,000,000 acres of fertile area adapted particularly to the cultivation of cotton and sugar cane.

#### PUBLIC UTILITIES LAW

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 1.—The public utilities act, legally known as the public service company law, passed by the last Pennsylvania legislature came into operation with the beginning of the new year. It is administered by a commission of seven appointed by the governor. The new act affects every public service corporation in the state. The commission has authority in the matter of the issuance of stocks and bonds.

Accepting the interpretation of counsel that the new law prohibits the issuance of free transportation within the state to all except employees, the railroads today discontinued the pass provided to members of families of their employees. Half rate tickets, formerly issued to clergymen, also were discontinued.

# WEST CENTRALVILLE LAND PURCHASED FOR PARK PURPOSES BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL FOR \$33,000



THE WEST CENTRALVILLE PARK LAND.

The park and playground long section. He spoke of criticism already prayed for by the people of West Centralville are on the stocks, so to speak, at the municipal council for entertaining the idea of buying a "dump" and he expected there would be more criticism but he believed the people of West Centralville were just as much entitled to a playground as were the people of any other section of the city.

Mr. Brown's reference to criticism from certain quarters relative to the purchase of the land in question, moved Mayor O'Donnell to say a word, and this is what he said:

"Men holding public office must expect to be criticized and maligned, when much criticism is wholly unjust and comes from those who have not looked into matters. Therefore I am going to vote for this order, regardless of what criticism of my action may come from it. I have had so much criticism offered that

I am now quite impervious to it. I feel that a park and a playground are badly needed in that part of the city."

"So much criticism has been offered by those who have never investigated or who have had other purposes for making criticism that I do not care what may be said about my action in voting to borrow this money. I believe I am right and have no apology to offer for this or any other act of mine during my administration."

The clerk then called the roll and the order was adopted unanimously.

An order transferring \$1700 from the balance left by various departments to the street department was passed.

The balances transferred were as follows: Messenger's department, \$50; buildings department, \$25; health department, \$250; law department, \$50; charity, \$75; charity out-door relief, \$250, and state aid, \$100.

# SOUTH END CLUB'S FETE



JOHN J. GILBRIDE,  
Principal Speaker.

THOMAS H. DONOGHUE,  
President.

## Interesting Exercises and Banquet at the Hamilton Dining Rooms—Other Banquets

With an excellent musical program and very fitting ceremonies, the new year was welcomed by the members of the South End club at the Hamilton dining room last night. The affair was one of the most enjoyable of local New Year's parties and the success of the observance reflects much credit on the able committee which had charge of the arrangements.

Shortly before 11:30 the four score or more members and guests of the club gathered in its spacious rooms in the Lincoln building and marched to the dining room. The cosy little spot was appropriately decorated for the occasion.

President Thos. H. Donoghue called the members to order and after a few remarks of welcome called on Representative-elect John J. Gilbride, an active member of the club, for the toast to the New Year. At just two minutes of twelve every light in the room was turned out and a huge red light attached to a post on the street was pointed toward the room, making the color effect very pleasing. Mr. Gilbride spoke upon the institution and success of the South End club and as the clocks were striking twelve he lifted a glass of water to his lips and asked the other members to drink a toast to the New Year. The year just passed brought to the South End club unlimited success, and may the members and friends of the club enjoy prosperity and success in the years to come. We welcome the year 1914 but we should send a little farewell regret to the year that is now dying out, and that has meant so much to us, as members or friends of the South End club.

At this point the Paragon quartet appeared and gave several selections that appealed to the merry gathering. Edward Hanley rendered a pleasing little recitation and then everybody stood up and sang the "Star Spangled Banner" and the "Want" column.

ALFRED DE ORO

Alfredo De Oro, champion, and Charles Morin, challenger, will play their match for the Jordan Lambert trophy, emblematic of the three cushion carom championship, in Chicago. De Oro had named New York, Jan. 6, and 7, as place and dates for the contest, but was influenced by a substantial guarantee, win or lose, to con-

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

# BOY BURGLAR IN COURT

Armand Guenard Arrested for Entering Store on Aiken Street Christmas Morning

With the capture of Armand Guenard, 16 years old, of Lakeview avenue, who was arrested last night in Dracut by Capt. Atkinson and Sergt. Giroux, the police think they have the one who broke into the store of George Boucher on Aiken street early Christmas morning.

Boucher has been looked for since the break, but nobody in the city seemed to know where to locate him. He had not been home since the break and the police could get no elevators to his whereabouts.

Last night, however, Capt. Atkinson received word that the youth was in Dracut and he and Sergt. Giroux immediately set out on the trail. The clue proved to be based on fact and the officers soon returned with young Guenard in custody.

The boy made no defense whatsoever as indeed he could scarcely do as

trips around the circle, the guests in convivial groups had seated themselves about the crimson-lighted dining room and with incense offered to Lady Nicotine with music and with "fashions of merriment which set the tables at a roar" awaited the coming of the new year. In unison, they sang all those dear remembered songs of other years and some of those of the hour, whose melody will perhaps be reechoed in festivals of coming years.

Of course no festivity would be complete without a "bit and sup" to enliven the mind and warm the heart of a man. It was there in plenty, as may be seen by the following menu:

Martini cocktails, soup, dressed冷菜, Spanish olives, lobster bisque, crab meat salad, roast spring chicken stuffed, currant jelly, roast game venison, aux champignons, Hollandaise potatoes, petite pols, spaghetti à la carbonara, ice cream, assorted cake, fruit and nuts, toasted crackers, Swiss cheese and demi-tasse.

It was an early hour indeed when the boys, old and young, gazed up at the pale sickle which looked down upon a new year on our old world and though the streets were silent and deserted they were cheered by the thought that they had parted on the friendliest terms with the year which has left them and with the hope that even friendlier would be their relations with the one which they had greeted.

At St. Patrick's.

Masses were celebrated at St. Patrick's church this morning at the usual Sunday hours of 8, 7 and 8 o'clock and high mass was sung at 9 by Rev. Fr. Callahan. The choir under the direction of Organist Johnson, gave a musical program that included many of the Christmas features. There will be vespers tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

At St. Michael's.

At St. Michael's, the masses this morning were at 8, 7 and 9 o'clock when high mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Shaw. The official celebration of New Year's day in this church ended with the high mass this morning.

Immaculate Conception.

At the Immaculate Conception mass was celebrated at 5, 6, 7 and 8, the latter being a high mass celebrated by the Rev. Franklin Wood, O. M. I. The pastor, Very Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., extended to the people his best wishes for a happy New Year at all the masses. This evening at 7:30 special services will be held.

Secret Heart.

At the Church of the Sacred Heart on Moore street, mass was celebrated at 8, 8:30, and a high mass was sung at 9 o'clock by the Rev. P. J. Hamersley, of Ottawa. This evening at 7:30 o'clock services will be held consisting of vespers, followed by the benediction of the blessed sacrament.

NORTH BILLERICA

Arrangements are now practically completed for the second dancing party of the "Old Timers" to be held in Thomas Talbot hall, North Billerica, tomorrow evening. The committees have been working diligently for the past few weeks and it is believed that it will be even more enjoyable than the party held last year. Music will be furnished by Hibbard's orchestra and arrangements have been made to have cars for Lowell after the dance.

#### A LITTLE NONSENSE



ENGAGED.

"I have my eyes on you!"  
The young man sung. Said she:  
"You are very slow;  
For my other beau  
Has a band <sup>on</sup> cold on me."



SILLY WILLIE.

Silly Willie tripped the cat  
To a shape quite geometric.  
Said, when mamma scolded him,  
"I have made my cat elliptic."



DIFFERENT GRAMES.

Feminine tempers, you may note—  
Are like cigars, my child—  
Some are medium, some are strong—  
And some are very mild.



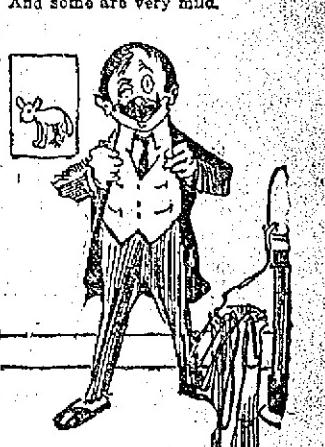
AFTERMATH.

Christmas comes but once a year—  
If it came twice or more,  
Most everyone, we sadly fear,  
Would turn to keeping store.



THE SWINDLER.

The swindler misleads I am no  
Pilatropist, NO trust;  
And yet the air's looking for  
The good things I can do!



THE STOCK BROKER.

The broker is a jovial jay—  
The go-between in speculations  
He gets his payment either way,  
Nor frets about the indications.

# SANGUINARY BATTLE IN MEXICO

Soldiers With Shattered Arms and Legs Shot Off, Struggled Through River and Pleaded to Americans for Help — Fighting Continues at Ojinaga — Many Killed

PRESIDIO, Texas, Jan. 1.—The battle at Ojinaga, Mexico, between the northern division of the federal army and rebels continued this morning after having been in progress all night. Five or six hundred federals had already been killed and the wounded will be in excess of that number.

Horrifying sights were witnessed on the American side before daylight. The wounded soldiers with shattered arms, legs shot off and injuries that later proved fatal, struggled through the river and pleaded to the American soldiers for help.

All the physicians and medical supplies available here were placed at the

service of the disabled federals. Before daylight more than 200 wounded had sought relief on this side. Some of these were so badly injured that they begged the American soldiers to kill them.

From the war scarred little village of Ojinaga back a mile from the river came what appeared to be an endless tide of wounded. The fight on the border here had the appearance of being the most sanguinary conflict of the present revolution.

Federal deserters also came to the river in numbers indicating that the bulk of Huerta's army was disposed to give up. All the deserters who were not wounded, however, were disarmed

on this side and sent back by Major McNamee, commanding the United States border patrol. Major McNamee has more than 300 guns which he took from deserters. During the night the groaning of the wounded on the battlefield on the opposite side of the river could be heard by the American cavalrymen. The firing in the darkness seemed to be heavier than it had yet been.

All women, children and non-combatants of Ojinaga came to the river and were taken to the American side.

The Little Red Cross headquarters on this side where the federal wounded are being cared for now is an active as a field hospital on a battlefield.

## DISPUTE OVER LAW

Results in Stopping Work on New Residence in Attleboro—Owner to Ask for Hearing

ATTLEBORO, Jan. 1.—Because of a dispute regarding the interpretation of the phraseology of the building laws recently adopted by the town in new residence of Earl B. Kent on Second street is being held up, and Maj. William H. Geff, building inspector, said yesterday that he would arrest the first man driving a nail in the building and have him in court.

The dispute is between Maj. Geff,

the town Inspector, and Malcolm Currie, the contractor at the house. Mr. Kent's work is being held up, and he said yesterday that he will petition the selectmen of Attleboro for a public hearing to decide the matter.

In the law there is the following phrase: "Ledge boards may be used in place of girts in one and a half story houses or in dwellings where the attic or top floor is below the plate."

Maj. Geff contends that the attic and top floor are synonymous, while the contractor claims that the word "or" makes it plain that the two are separate terms.

Maj. Geff ordered all work on the house suspended Monday.

## RECORD SHOE OUTPUT

Haverhill Shipped Ninety 000,000 Cases in 1913—First Week of Year Was Best

HAVERHILL, Jan. 1.—The final shipment of shoes from Haverhill last night brought the total up to 506,495 cases, the largest in the history of the city and 21,004 cases more than in 1912.

The average weekly shipment was 12,473 cases, with the week of Jan. 2 the largest of the year with 15,531 cases.

The 1913 increase over 1912 is not so great as that of 1912 over 1911 by more than 16,000 cases, but it gave Haverhill a new mark and is the greatest year in the history of Haverhill as a shoe manufacturing city.

# STRIKE IMMINENT

Lynn Lasters Refuse Offer Made by the Manufacturers

LYNN, Jan. 1.—There is a strong probability of a strike of about 300 lasters, affecting 18 principal shoe manufacturers and involving at least 1000 employees, according to labor union leaders.

Unless an understanding is reached between manufacturers and lasters before Friday night, it is said, the strike will go into effect next Monday morning.

For several days the manufacturers have been considering an increase in pay for lasting odd lots and also for relacing shoes, and the manufacturers proposed an increase in the pay for relacing and suggested further conferences.

The lasters last night refused to accept the offer and put the entire matter in the hands of the joint council of the unions, representing all unions in the shoe business. That body will meet Friday, and it is said a strike will be sanctioned. Without such a move a strike cannot take place, under the regulations of the union.

Should the strike take place it would, in a few days, affect several thousand other employes.

The factories involved are C. H. Aborn & Co., P. J. Harvey Shoe company, Bartlett-Holloway company, Gotschall Shoe company, Lovins & Sergeant, Cotter Shoe company, Williams & Clark, Shoughton & Tenney, A. M. Crofton, Richard Shoe company, James Brophy Brothers' Shoe company, James Phelan & Sons, Hoag & Walden and Faunce & Spinney.

UNCONSCIOUS 150 HOURS

Miss Anna Wheeler, Victim of Worcester Accident, Apparently No Weakness

WORCESTER, Jan. 1.—With her condition unchanged from what it was at midnight Tuesday, Miss Anna Wheeler at 12 Wednesday night had completed 150 hours of unconsciousness at city hospital. The girl, who is the 16-year-old daughter of Dr. Charles D. Wheeler, has not regained consciousness since she was injured on Christmas morning by a collision between the automobile driven by her sister, in which she was a passenger, and an electric car.

Apparently, so it is stated at the hospital, the injured girl has not grown weaker during the last 24 hours.

## DOLLAR FOR FALSE ARREST

John Johnson of Lynn Wins Nominal Damages at Suit from Maurice Browne of Dedham

SALEM, Jan. 1.—In the superior civil court yesterday afternoon the jury awarded John Johnson of Lynn \$1 in a case against Maurice Browne of Dedham for alleged false arrest.

In 1909, Johnson visited Dedham to give evidence in a liquor case and was arrested by Browne as he stepped from a train. He was kept at the police station until the arrival of a policeman from Worcester with a warrant for nonsupport.

## MAYOR APPROVES SITE

Roslindale's New Municipal Building Will Be Erected at Corner of Ashland and Washington Streets

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—Mayor Fitzgerald yesterday gave a hearing to Roslindale citizens on the site of the new municipal building in that section. Only two appeared in opposition to the site at the corner of Ashland and Washington streets and the mayor decided in favor of this site. He instructed the street commissioners to take the necessary steps to obtain the land. The site contains 16,000 square feet and the new building will cost \$136,000.

## SEVEN NEW CONTRACTS

New York Public Service Commission Provides for Subway Work Which Will Cost \$1,000,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Seven additional contracts for sections of the new subway system were executed yesterday by the public service commission. These contracts call for an expenditure of more than \$1,000,000, bringing the total appropriation for new subways up to \$1,000,000.

Most of the new work will be in Brooklyn and the Bronx. Thirty-nine contracts covering other extensions are still to be awarded.

## EPOCH IN NAVIGATION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—What is declared by navy yard officials to have marked an epoch in the navigation of submarines was the completion recently of the several hundred miles trip of four little submarines from Guantánamo, Cuba, to Cristóbal, at the Atlantic end of Panama. With a rough sea and under the influence of strong trade winds, the little boats found no difficulty in maintaining their speed and position for the five days it took to make the trip, the longest on record for any submarine under their own power.

The officials and crew were in as good if not better condition at the conclusion of the voyage than at the outset. The vessels arrived with their fuel tanks over half full and in condition for any service they might be called upon to perform. It is expected that they will remain in tropical waters for some time.

## GUIDE OF MISUNING MAIIS

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—The jury in the trial of officers of the Radio Wireless Telephone Company, accused of misusing the mails in promoting the sale of stock returned a verdict of guilty on two counts of the indictment against James Donohoe Smith, president, and Elmer E. Burlingame, agent of a subsidiary, at 1 o'clock this morning, after 11 hours of deliberation.

Lee De Forest, an inventor, and Samuel Darby, were acquitted on three counts the jury disagreeing on the fourth.

## RAMPOLLA'S WILL SUPPRESSED

ROME, Jan. 1.—The arrest of those suspected of having suppressed the last will of Cardinal Rampolla is expected shortly. The police official in charge of the Vatican district made a report to the district attorney yesterday, giving the details of his investigation into the mystery of the missing will. As a result of this investigation it appears there really was a second will in existence and a court investigation will now be made.

NICHOLS' TEA STORE, 31 JOHN ST., EXTENDS A NEW YEAR'S GREETING TO ITS CUSTOMERS AND BEST WISHES FOR A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR, 1914.

# GREETINGS

We desire this small announcement To do the work of a full page advertisement  
Is it possible?  
It's up to you!  
When we close Saturday night we pass into commercial history  
And King's Clothing Company becomes but a memory.  
Two days left to purchase men's, boys' and children's clothing And furnishings at actual cost  
And below.  
Just two days.  
Be among the many to partake Of what we offer—never mind haggling about prices.  
Come make your own prices.



SL-55 MERRIMACK ST.

# NATURALIZATION COURT FIREMEN HURT

In Runaway Accident — Fire Engine Was Wrecked

Clerk Dillingham Had a Large Number of Applicants Today—Another Session Tomorrow

NEWBURY, Jan. 1.—A steam fire engine of the Newburyport department was wrecked in a marsh last night, three firemen were injured when thrown to the ground, and two of the four horses drawing the apparatus were inexplicably mired, following a runaway.

The engine had been sent to the assistance of the town of Byfield in fighting flames in a dormitory building there. On the return, when the engine was approaching a bridge over the Parker river, the four horse hitch stalled at the lights of an approaching automobile. The horses bolted. The lead animals broke away from their traces and plunged into the marsh land, where they lodged so deeply that efforts to rescue them were unsuccessful up to a late hour.

The other pair of horses dashed over a bank on the opposite side of the road, the engine overturning as it struck the soft land below the bank.

All three firemen were thrown from their places, but the injuries of none were serious. The engine was wrecked.

## WIRELESS SIGNALS NEW YEAR

Arlington Station Sends Flashes Thousands of Miles Possibly in Paris

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—From the navy radio station at Arlington, Va., a wireless time signal was sent out last night notifying all shore and marine radio stations of the exact moment of the old year ended and the new began.

Bangs of the standard clock at the observatory were sent out from the moment of 12:55 o'clock with designated emissions of beats to mark the minutes and a final bang at the sixtieth second of the last minute of the year 1913.

It is expected that the time signal will be found to have been heard at Panama, San Francisco and probably the Eiffel Tower in Paris, besides intermediate stations.

## LID ON IN TWO STATES

Celebration Closes Saloons in the States of Ohio and Arkansas at Midnight

CINCINNATI, Jan. 1.—Ohio's New Year's celebration ended at midnight so far as liquor in saloons was concerned. The lid was on tight in every place where intoxicants are sold at 12 o'clock under the new law.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 1.—All saloons in Arkansas were closed at midnight last night, when the prohibition law went into effect. United States soldiers, who had just been paid off, joined in a mournful parade, while the liquor dealers held bargain sales.

## SMITH ARRESTED AGAIN

Waterville Man Who Was Fired in Malden Taken to Lawrence for Arlington Police

LAWRENCE, Jan. 1.—Edwin H. Smith, 27, of Waterville, who was fined \$100 in Malden district court on charges of assault on one Malden and two Waterville women, was arrested here this afternoon for the Arlington police. A woman is the complainant in this case. He was released on bail.

## FRANK B. EDGELL DESIGNS

Gardner Man Elected to the House, Cannot Remain on Board of Regents Under the Law

GARDNER, Jan. 1.—The resignation of Frank B. Edgell as a member of the board of regents was received and accepted by the selectmen at their meeting yesterday. Mr. Edgell's action was compulsory, as the law states that a man may not hold both an elective and an appointive office at the same time. At the fall election Mr. Edgell was elected a member of the legislature. He has been a member of the board for the past 11 years. His successor will be chosen at a meeting of the selectmen next month.

BLACK AND WHITE RABBIT found lost, 8 mos. old; name and its house number on collar. Reward, 10¢, returned to 732 Lawrence st.

# Latest Local Items and Telegraphic News of the World

## DEATHS FOR YEAR 1913

Fewer by 77 Than in Preceding Year—List of Most Prominent People Who Passed Away

Among the more prominent deaths recorded during the past year were the following. It may be, however, that in going over the list names have been unintentionally overlooked that should be included. Each year has its long roll of the departed but we hope the coming year will not claim so many as did 1913. The total number of deaths in 1912 was 1891 and the number in 1913 was 1814 or 77 less than in the preceding year. The list follows:

**January**  
1—Arthur B. Nichols.  
2—Mrs. Sarah Richardson.  
4—Dr. Robert E. Bell; Dr. George C. Osgood.  
9—Adelaide Forest.  
10—Alexander E. Blanchard.  
13—John Joseph Kerwin.  
16—Cornelius M. Regan; Mrs. Sarah Richardson.  
20—Guy Mitchell.  
22—Mrs. Elvira E. Gladwin; Robert J. Gilmore.  
25—Inspector Frank Fox.  
27—James Evans.  
29—Lieut. Geo. E. Garity, U. S. A.  
30—Mrs. Lucy A. Lauchester.  
30—Edward Meloy.

**February**  
1—James Reynolds.  
6—Michael J. Connor.  
8—Mrs. Martha A. R. Balch; William Jewett.  
11—Rhoda A. Goodale.  
14—Anson V. Woodworth; Nathaniel Bishop; Lieut. Thos. H. Rogers.  
15—Andrew Lideell.  
18—Washington Irving Fletcher.  
18—Leonard F. Steele.  
22—Lewis Spellman.  
24—Charles H. Richardson; William Ward.  
29—Miss Susan Gallagher.

**March**  
4—Jonathan Johnson; Dr. Merritt A. Long; Mrs. Elizabeth M. Soule.  
6—Miss Etta G. Burns.  
6—John H. Sweet.  
8—Hector O'Hear; Mrs. Mary V. Bixby.  
9—Mrs. Lucinda Barnard.  
10—Joseph E. Longhnan.  
11—George W. Raynes; Freeman B. Shedd.  
13—Hiram H. Hazeltine; Patrick Mangan.  
14—Michael F. Gorham.  
16—Mrs. Laura G. Spurr.  
24—Daniel P. Worthley.  
26—Mrs. Hilarie Mongrain.  
28—Mrs. Alice A. Stott.  
30—Harriet F. Ihm.

**April**  
7—Leonard Thompson.  
9—Mrs. David McHugh.  
11—Henry W. Folsom.  
12—Anne Shannon, Sister Mary Evangelist of Notre Dame.  
15—Mrs. Mary J. Swan; Rev. Edward F. Saunders.  
16—Daniel Clark.  
17—Benjamin C. Morrison.  
19—Daniel B. II Bartlett; George W. Young; Mrs. Sarah A. Dunlap.  
20—Thomas Brainerd.  
24—Frank B. Peabody.  
25—Frank A. Simpson; Andrew Farrington.  
27—Mrs. Rowena Hildreth.  
29—Miss Ellen J. Carleton.  
30—Edward B. Lowe.

**May**  
1—Joseph B. Yorke.  
2—Warren W. Knapp; Catherine A. Whipple.  
5—Mrs. Nancy Louise Floyd.  
6—Mrs. Clara A. E. Wheeler.  
8—Walter Thurston Stevenson.  
9—Charles H. Noble.  
10—David J. McHugh.  
14—Thomas J. Mulligan; Mrs. Grace Reddy.  
18—Mrs. Charlotte A. Allen.  
20—Dr. George C. Carpenter; Mrs. Maria A. Spalding; John E. Hall.  
23—William Spellman.  
24—Dennis O'Brien.  
25—Mrs. Catherine Fay; August Jean.  
26—John G. Robertson.  
31—Emily Greenhalge.

**June**  
2—Mrs. Pierre Noe Brunello.  
3—Miss Sarah Scates; George A. Nelson.  
4—Mrs. Angelina L. Atwell.  
5—Thomas Freeman; Frank H. Harris.  
8—George W. Batchelder.  
9—Samuel E. R. Adams.  
11—Clara Priest Woodles.  
12—Edward O'Hear; Agnes M. Crowley; Charles H. Hancock; Mrs. Annie Falbarks.  
15—George Durant.  
17—Joseph Hemingway.  
19—Henry C. Dexter; Mrs. Mary A. Teague.  
22—Mrs. Elizabeth Adams.  
23—William Rogers.  
30—James E. Webster.

**July**  
1—Miss Sarah M. Dodge; Calvin E. Crawford street, this city.  
The many friends of Miss Bertha Bellrose, of Montreal, P. Q., will be pleased to learn that she is now renewing acquaintances in this city. During her stay in Lowell she will be the guest of Mrs. Louis Gagnon of 49 Crawford street, this city.

## INITIATIVE PAPERS OUT ON THE HOSPITAL ISSUE

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 1.—Mrs. Clarissa Collins, a widow, celebrated her hundredth birthday at her home here today.

PORT SAID, Jan. 1.—Gen. Bonnier, who started in his aeroplane from Jerusalem this morning, arrived here at noon and proceeded on his flight to Cairo.

PLAINFIELD, Vt., Jan. 1.—The Plainfield house in the center of the town was destroyed by fire today, with a loss of \$5000. The fire was caused by an overheated stove.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—John Purroy Mitchel, elected mayor on the fusion ticket, was inducted into city hall at noon today. As he had already taken the oath, administered several days ago, the ceremonies were simple.

NEWPORT, R. I., Jan. 1.—It is announced today that Commodore Arthur Curtis James has added to his already extensive property holdings here by the purchase of the estate of Artist Walter Histed at Princes Neck.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Assurances that the department of the interior will serve the public better during the coming year than in the past are contained in New Year's greetings received today by hundreds of officials and employees of the department from their chief, Secretary Lane.

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—The public service commission refused today to approve the position of the Berkshire Street Railway company to build a trolley road to the summit of Mt. Greylock. The commission finds that the site would cost \$1,100,000 and would not earn the interest on the money.

HERMOSILLA, Mexico, Dec. 31, via Nogales, Arizona, Jan. 1.—The mutiny of the regular garrison at Guaymas, after more than an hour's fighting among themselves, ended abruptly today. It was said the soldiers after ending their internal strife decided to stay together at Guaymas.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Attorney General McReynolds held a conference here today with United States District Attorney Marshall to discuss among other things the disposition of the government's anti-trust suit against the American Sugar Refining Co., which it is rumored is seeking terms for a voluntary dissolution.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 1.—While the number of engineers, firemen and trainmen fluctuate, particularly with the amount of freight business handled, an official statement from the New York, New Haven and Hartford road here today says "no sweeping reductions in working forces are contemplated."

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 1.—Judge Edgar Aldrich of the United States district court received word here today of the death of his mother, Mrs. Adeline Bedell Aldrich at Pittsburgh, this state, this morning. Mrs. Aldrich, who was the great granddaughter of Col. Timothy Bedell of the Revolutionary war, was born Dec. 27, 1821.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 1.—Twelve colleges, hospitals and charitable institutions of Minnesota, nine of them in Minneapolis, are the recipients of New Year's gifts aggregating \$230,000 from David D. Stewart of St. Albans, Me., who inherited the estate of the late

Levi M. Stewart of Minneapolis, a pioneer who died here two years ago.

TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 1.—The first daily aeroplane passenger and express service in the cities of the south, possibly in the country, was opened today with a successful flight of a hydroplane from St. Petersburg, across the bay to Tampa, an air line distance of 18 miles. A. C. Phell, former mayor of St. Petersburg, was the passenger.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Jan. 1.—Eddie McGoorty, the American boxer, knocked out Dave Smith of Australia in a minute and a half this afternoon in the first round of a 20-round bout for the middleweight championship of Australia. The American dropped his opponent three times in rapid succession before giving him the knockout blow.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—The local weather bureau today received the following storm warning from Washington: Holst northeast storm warnings 2:30 a. m. from Boston to Elizabeth City, N. C. Disturbance off North Carolina coast moving northeast; high northeast to north winds today and tonight.

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LANSING, Mich., Jan. 1.—After a conference of labor leaders here today Clarence S. Darow, counsel for the Western Federation of Miners, asked Governor Ferris to send a telegram to President Shaw of the Calumet & Hecla Mining Co., requiring him to come to Lansing for a conference relative to a settlement of the strike in the Michigan copper mining district.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 1.—John Mitchell, whose term as vice-president of the American Federation of Labor expired last night, announced this afternoon that his retirement from official life in the Federation does not mean that he will cease his activities in the interest of labor. He said he would devote his time largely to writing for the cause.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Queen Elena of Bulgaria cabled to the American Red Cross today asking relief for thousands of refugees left destitute by the Balkan war. The queen's request, coupled with that of many Americans there, says thousands are homeless, shivering, starving and freezing in the unusually cold weather that has swept Europe.

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Jan. 1.—Mrs. Jake Detta of this city may be the first person to benefit by the workers' compensation law which went into effect last midnight. Her husband was killed this morning when he was drawn into the conveyor of a coal pocket of which Frank Johnston, president of the State Business Men's association, is the principal owner. Johnston had insured against accident or death of his employees.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Secretary Wilson today sent a telegram to E. C. Bright, president of the Globe Miners Union, Globe, Arizona, replying to a charge that the labor department was "inactive in the face of the Calumet crisis." "The department of labor has neither been inactive nor academic," says Secretary Wilson, "in dealing with the Calumet strike situation. If the Globe Miners union knows of anything that this department can do that has not already been done in its efforts to gather the facts or settle the difficulty, I would be pleased to have my attention called to the same."

store in Central square. He is also a director of the Franklin Trust, an organization which loans money on mortgages. He was at one time president of the board of trade.

JOHN LIND DELAYED  
PASS CHRISTIAN, Miss., Jan. 1.—Word reached here early this afternoon that the steamship Chester with John Lind on board had been delayed by a heavy fog on her way here from Vera Cruz and that the president's personal envoy to Mexico probably would not land until tonight. The revenue cutter Winona lay off Ship Island all day awaiting the Chester's appearance. It was the intention of President Wilson to go on board the Winona and meet Mr. Lind had the Chester arrived earlier, Mr. Lind will come ashore in a small boat at a dock about a mile and a half from the president's cottage.

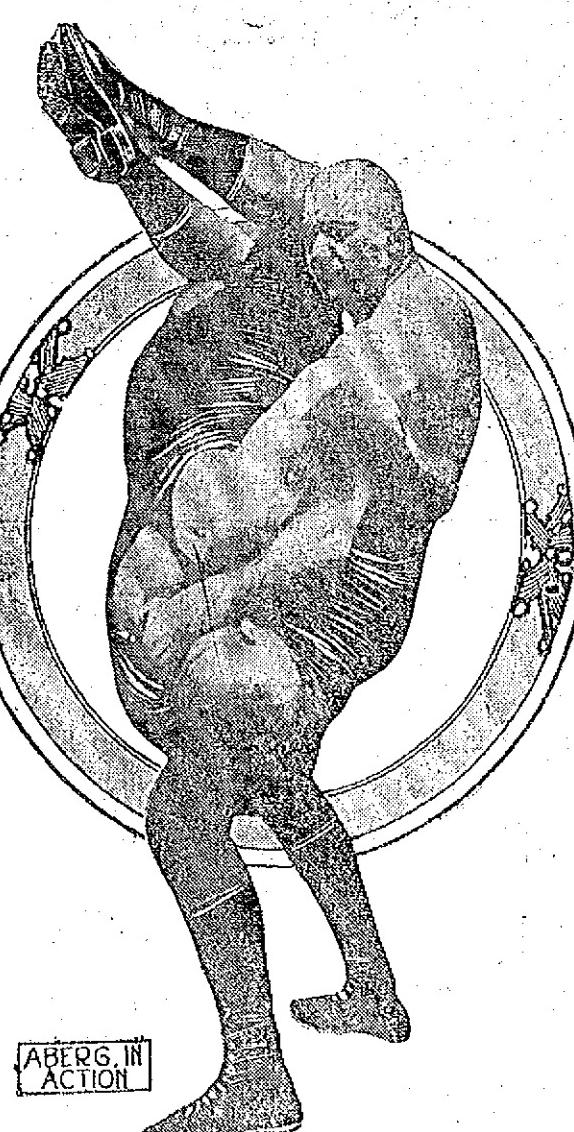
The president played no golf today.

RATHER LATE THAN NEVER

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 1.—Just as he was about to abandon hope of being elected from a large estate in Scotland, Charles A. Campbell, president of an oil and gas company operating in an adjoining county, was notified this afternoon, he stated, that \$15,000 was on deposit to his credit in the Chemical National Bank of New York. This estate was that of William Adams of Glasgow, Scotland, and had been in litigation three years.

THE KASINO  
ROLLER SKATING  
Last Three Days of the Week  
Afternoons and Evening

## FINNISH GIANT WHO WANTS TO MEET YANKEE MAT EXPERTS



Aberg, the Finnish wrestling star, is known as a great deal about catch-as-catch-can. In the illustration Aberg is shown throwing an opponent with a crotch hold and quarter Nelson.

## \$200,000 SUIT

Publishers of Lynn Telegram Plaintiffs in Suit Against Business Men

LYNN, Jan. 1.—Charles O. Blood and Ralph S. Bauer were made defendants in a suit for \$100,000 each by the publishers of the Lynn Telegram today for alleged interference with the publication of this paper. The writs of attachment were served by Sheriff Wells and will be returnable in the Salem superior court.

The action against Messrs. Blood and Bauer will be interesting. The Telegram's interests will be looked after by Attorney Walter W. Dwyer of this city, and a firm of Boston attorneys.

Charles O. Blood, one of the defendants, is well known in this city. He has been in public life more than any other man in this city. The publishers allege that he made a number of charges against the Lynn Telegram which are not true. Mr. Blood is president of the chamber of commerce.

Mr. Bauer, another defendant, conducts a chocolate shop and periodical

LOWELL TRUST COMPANY  
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lowell Trust Company of Lowell, will be held at the banking room, No. 265 Central street, Lowell, Mass., on Thursday, January 3, at four o'clock, to act on the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them.

JOHN J. HOGAN, Secretary.

Lowell, January 1, 1914.

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Secretary

JOHN H. MURPHY



CHARLES E. ANDERSON



J. WALTER BOWERS



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## R. A. WOODS CONFIRMED

Member of the Boston Licensing Board—Hamilton for Superior Court Bench

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—Robert A. Woods has served half of a two-year sentence in the house of correction for breaking and entering.

## Thompson Case Delayed

The case of Franklin Sims Thompson, who was appointed judge of probate for Franklin county was put over for another week. A protest was made against the confirmation of Mr. Thompson.

The vote was 7 to 1, the one being Councillor Collins of South Boston.

The main argument made against Mr. Woods was that he was identified with the prohibition movement of the Anti-Saloon League and therefore not a proper man to administer the giving out of liquor licenses.

The council confirmed Judge John C. Crosby of Pittsfield as justice of the supreme judicial court. The place left vacant on the superior court bench by the promotion of Judge Crosby is filled by the appointment by Governor Frost of William Hamilton of Springfield. The confirmation of Judge Crosby was by unanimous vote. Immediately afterward Judge Crosby took the oath of office.

Hunt Wins Pardon

The pardon of George E. Hunt of Worcester, who was sentenced to six months in the house of correction upon an alleged attempt to bribe a deputy sealer, was granted by a vote of seven to one. Councillor Ham voted against the pardon. Hunt will pay the \$100 fine imposed by the court, but the pardon does not become effective until after the payment of the fine.

This pardon was passed upon by the attorney-general, who ruled that while the governor and council might grant a pardon to a man who has not served his sentence, it would be outside the powers of the governor and council to relieve him of paying the fine, inasmuch as that would be an interference with the judiciary.

Pardons were also granted to Jose Melo, who has served 20 years of a life sentence for murder in the second degree, and to James Macleod, who

KING HONORS BRYCE 19,299 BIRTHS IN HUB

## DURING 1913—STORIC RECORD IS WAY ABOVE DEATH RATE FOR SAME PERIOD—OTHER RECORDS

LONDON, Jan. 1.—James Bryce, formerly British ambassador at Washington, is given the title of viscount in the New Year's honor list.

Sir Francis Charles Stanislas Langeler, Lieutenant-governor of Quebec, and Douglas Colin Cameron, Lieutenant-governor of Manitoba, were made Knights Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, while Chief Justice Horace Archambault of Quebec and Henry Kelly Egan of Ottawa received knighthood.

In addition to Mr. Bryce, four politicians were given peerages. These were Sir Rufus Daniel Isaacs, formerly attorney-general and now lord chief justice; Alexander Urquhart, president of the Scottish court of sessions; Sir Charles Crispin, Union member of parliament for Buckinghamshire, and Sir Harold Harnsworth, a brother of Lord Northcliffe.

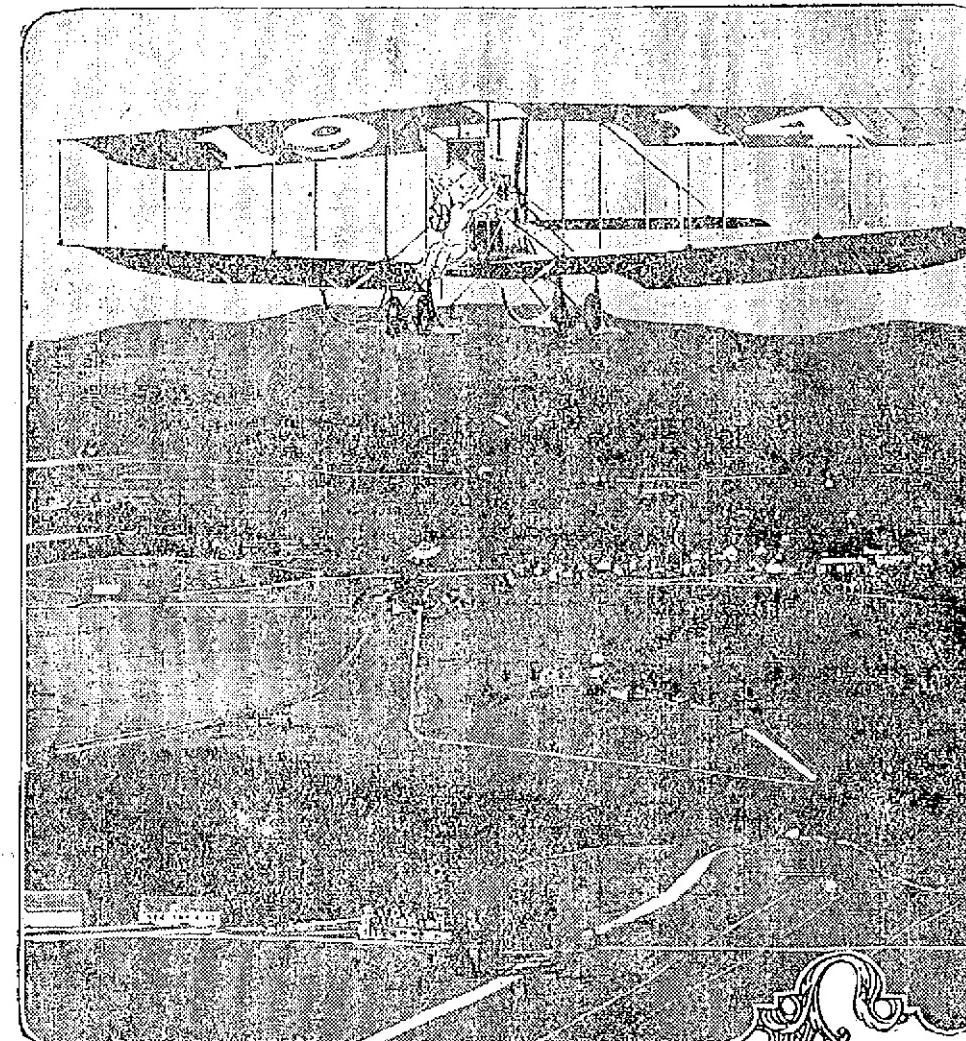
Courtenay Walter Bennett, British consul general at New York, also was created a knight.

## TO END STRIKE TROUBLE

REPRESENTATIVES OF MICHIGAN UNIONS APPEAL TO CALUMET'S PRESIDENT

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 1.—In an effort to end the labor troubles in the copper country, representatives of the various state labor unions will draft a plan for settlement which they will ask Gov. Purdy to forward to President Shaw of the Calumet and Hecla Mining Company at Boston. At a conference of union men here yesterday afternoon, it was decided to take the matter over to the head of James MacNaughton, general manager of the Calumet and Hecla, in the hope, they said, of further arousing public sentiment and forcing the mining companies to come to terms or at least to submit the differences between them and their employees to a board of arbitration.

## NEWBORN 1914 COMES WINGING ITS WAY OVER HILL AND DALE WITH A MESSAGE OF HOPE



The old year is gone with all its joys and all its sorrows, and 1914 promises to make amends for whatever unpleasant things 1913 may come to us bearing a horn of plenty.

It comes to us bearing a horn of plenty have done to us. And it travels by

aeroplane this year, does 1914, instead of automobile, as in the past, thus showing that up to date ness is the imperative order of the day.

## FIGHTS AGAINST DISEASE

The Public Health Service Did Remarkable Work — 39,000 Indians Examined

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Uncle Sam's health patrol is catching its breath on New Year's day in anticipation of the biggest year's work it has ever undertaken.

The summary of the last twelve months' work, prepared in the headquarters of the public health service here contains a record of heroic

fights against disease, concerted on position to the invasion of foreign nations and exemptions from fields of medical exploration which has had no equal in the history of the federal health organization.

The rates for scarlet fever and diphtheria are both higher than in 1912, per 10,000 population the death rate from scarlet fever will be about 1.05 against 1.04 for the preceding five years, and the death rate from diphtheria will be about 2.12 against 2.60 for the preceding five years.

The particularly bright spots in the year's record are the low rate from pulmonary tuberculosis—about 14.4 against the previous low record, 16.2, made in 1912—and the estimated infant mortality rate, 107 per 1000 births registered against the previous low record, 116, also made in 1912.

Miner's, Associate, Friday.

NEW CURE FOR BRONCHITIS

PARIS, Jan. 1.—Frederick Burlingham, the American who made a descent into the depths of the crater of Vesuvius last week, says the sulphur fumes which almost destroyed the party cured bronchitis from which he was suffering.

Mr. Burlingham arrived in Paris yesterday.

authorities in their fight to prevent the carrying of plague germs by rats and squirrels, the public health service has pushed its activities into many unusual fields and has advised all state and municipal officials to improve sanitary conditions and lesson public danger. Much of the research work for the health service is done in the hygienic laboratory in Washington. In the search of the means by which scientific analysis is transmitted, the experts succeeded during the last year in extracting germs from one monkey to another by the bite of a stable fly. But when this succeeded once it failed on all other attempts and the public health service is still working on the problem of coping with this disease.

Pollution of rivers and the attendant dangers to communities close to them is under examination now in the valleys of the Missouri, Ohio and Potomac. A comprehensive investigation of pellagra is being directed from the marine hospital at Savannah, Ga., and malaria is being closely studied at Mobile, Ala., to determine definitely the means by which it is carried and the methods best adapted to its suppression.

Some of the more arduous tasks of the service have been those connected with the local suppression of epidemics and the attempt to stamp out infectious diseases.

Over 30,000 Indians on reservations in 26 states were examined under direction of the public health service during the last year to determine the prevalence of consumption and trachoma. More than 25 per cent of the Indians were found to be suffering from trachoma and drastic measures have been recommended by the health officers to meet the situation.

Miner's, Associate, Friday.

NON-WIRELESS SHIP DETAINED

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1.—Cleared and ready to depart on her voyage to Shanghai with a cargo of gasoline, the British steamer Cowrie was detained here today by federal authorities when it was found that the vessel lacked wireless equipment and carried a crew in excess of the number allowed for non-wireless ships.

After dropping ten of her Chinese crew of 59, the Cowrie was allowed to depart. The Chinamen will be sent home at the expense of the Cowrie's charterers.

## 1913 WARMEST YEAR

DRONE BOSTON WEATHER BUREAU'S RECORD WITH 2050 DEGREES EXCESS

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—From a meteorological point of view, yesterday ended an extraordinary year. It was the warmest by far, of any year in Boston within the records of the Boston branch of the weather bureau service. December made the ninth month of the year showing an excess of heat over normal, the accumulation for the month being 182 degrees. The last month of the year, therefore, was like the first only not quite so abnormal, for January saw an excess over normal of 380 degrees.

For the entire year the accumulated excess was 1290 degrees, that being 422 degrees more of a departure than any year in the past, so far as the records of the weather bureau show. The mean daily temperature for last year was 54.3 degrees, whereas the highest previous means was 51.2 degrees, in 1908. There is a difference of 2050 degrees between the heat last year and that of 1873, the coldest year of which a record has been kept at the Boston branch of the weather bureau.

The year 1913 was the sixth successive year of abnormal warmth, with an accumulated excess over normal during that period of 1811 degrees. The excesses for each of these years have been as follows:

	EXCESS
1908	365
1909	613
1910	718
1911	789
1912	639
1913	1290

## DUMMER ACADEMY FIRE

FAMOUS BUILDING THREATENED BY BLAZE—OLDEST PREP SCHOOL IN AMERICA



Crittenden Scott, will soon begin here. Charlton has failed considerably in health since he was brought here from the United States and jailed Aug. 30. He hopes to prove an alibi.

## DODGE MARRIAGE LAW

LICENSES TO WED WERE ISSUED UNTIL MIDNIGHT AT MILWAUKEE — EUGENIC LAW EFFECTIVE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 1.—A rush to evade the new eugenics marriage law, effective today, made yesterday the busiest day on record for the Milwaukee county marriage license clerks. At the regular closing time 84 licenses had been issued, and the office was so crowded with applicants that it was decided to issue licenses until midnight.

The new law requires a thorough medical examination of both applicants for a license to wed. It also stipulates that only \$3 shall be charged by physicians for making the examination. Many doctors have declared that they will not make the necessary tests for this fee.

Fear that county officials will refuse to issue licenses unless the medical certificates state that comprehensive blood tests have been made, caused the record demand for wedding permits in the closing days of the year. Reports from other counties in the state agree that an unprecedented number of permits have been granted.

Clerks in many counties have asked the attorney-general for an interpretation of the law, and several have indicated that they will issue no licenses until the supreme court has passed on the statute.

Deposit that Christmas money in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank, Saturday, January 3rd, is "Quarter Day."

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# SUGAR FRUIT

4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>C LB.

ORANGES.....	12 1-2c Doz.
Largo and Juicy	
GRAPEFRUIT 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> c	4c Each
Malanga Grapes.....	12c Lb.
Totay Grapes.....	12c Lb.
Nice Juicy Lemons,	12c and 25c Dozen
Bananas.....	10c Dozen
No. 1 English Walnuts, 16c Lb.	
Mixed Nuts.....	14c

100 lb. Bag Sugar \$4.40

Loaf Sugar..... 6c

Powdered Sugar.... 6c

Brown Sugar..... 4c

## SOAP

Soapine, pkg.....	4c
Three 5c Packages of Pearline 10c	
Ivory Soap.....	6 for 25c
Pearl White Floating, 10 for 25c	
White Rose Soap.....	10 for 25c
Swift's Pride Soap.....	9 for 25c
Swift's Borax Soap.....	7 for 25c
Lenox Soap.....	9 for 25c
Welcome Soap.....	7 for 25c
Every Woman's Soap.....	7 for 25c
Swift's Naphtha Soap.....	7 for 25c
Swift's Borax Soap.....	7 for 25c
P. & G. Naphtha Soap.....	7 for 25c
20 Muleteam Borax Soap, 7 for 25c	
Pure White Castile Soap, 7 for 25c	
Snap Soap.....	14 for 25c
Pearl Soap.....	7 for 25c
Bee Soap.....	6 for 25c
Swift's Wool Soap.....	7 for 25c
Grandma's Washing Powder, 4c, 12c	
Jumbo Washing Powder.....	4c
Swift's Washing Powder.....	4c
Big 10 Washing Powder.....	4c
Star Naphtha Wash Powder 4c, 16c	
Gold Dust.....	4c, 18c pkg.
Sal Soda, pkg.....	5c
Lighthouse Cleanser.....	4c

## FRESH CANDIES

Fancy Ribbon Candy.....	2 lb. boxes 23c
Fancy Assorted Christmas Candy.....	18c lb.
Old Fashioned Vanilla Chocolates, lb.....	17c
Cream Patties, lb.....	18c
Assorted Jelly Drops, lb.....	12 1-2c
Extra Turkey Figs, lb.....	11c, 17c
Calarab Candied Figs, in pound boxes.....	21c
Special Old Fashioned Chocolates, in lb. boxes, 20c	
Quimby's Special Assorted Chocolates, in pound	
boxes.....	25c
Special Peppermints, lb.....	17c
Cream Caramels.....	23c lb.
Assorted Chocolates.....	12 1-2c lb.

## PURE LARD

50 Lb. Tub Silver Leaf, lb.....	12c
20 Lb. Tub Silver Leaf, lb.....	12 1-2c
10, 5, 3 Lb. Silver Leaf, lb.....	13 1-2c

## COMPOUND LARD

50 Lb. Tub Compound Lard, lb.....	9c
20 Lb. Tub Compound Lard, lb.....	8 1-2c
10, 5, 3 Lb. Tub Compound Lard, lb.....	11c

Salmon, pink..... 8c

Red Salmon, Columbia River brand, 10c can

Salmon Steak—Choice Alaska cuts, red, 1 lb. can..... 12c

## MACARONI

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## LOBSTER (Osprey Brand)

Can 25c
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## BUTTER

We also carry Meadow Gold and Clover Hill Brands of Butter.  
Best Creamery Butter..... 31c  
Yorkshire Creamery in 1 lb. sanitary cartons, lb..... 33c  
Best Grade Vermont Creamery Butter in 5 lb. boxes, lb..... 36c

## CHEESE

Very Good Cheese, lb..... 10c  
Full Cream Cheese, lb..... 22c  
Smozzarella, lb..... 33c  
Swiss Cheese, lb..... 33c  
Roquefort Cheese, lb..... 35c to 40c  
Limbburger Cheese, lb..... 25c  
Young American Cheese, lb. 20c to 22c  
Full Cream Edam Cheese..... 65c  
Holland Cheese, lb..... 65c  
Munster Cheese, lb..... 30c  
Camembert Cheese..... 28c lb.

## Violet Talcum Powder

9c box, 3 for 25c  
(Regular 25c size)

## Magic Perfumed Starch

## Electric Lustre Starch

## Diamond Gloss Starch

8c Pkg

## EGGS

Fresh Eggs, dozen..... 29c

Armour's Helmet Brand Eggs, fresh, in cartons, dozen..... 30c

Brookfield Eggs, strictly fresh, dozen..... 39c

Economy Cocoa, absolutely pure, 17c lb.

Wan-eta Cocoa, absolutely pure, in 1 lb. Mason Jars..... 23c lb.

Quality Cocoa, warranted pure, lb. 23c, 1/2 lb. (3c, 1/4 lb. 7c

Boiled Beef Tongue..... 65c

Saunders' Tomato Sausage..... 35c

Saunders' Bacon Sausage..... 35c

(Cured Made)..... 35c

## COOKED MEATS—NEW DEPT.

Roast Chicken..... 35c lb.

Boiled Ham..... 40c lb.

Roast Pork..... 40c

Boiled Tongue..... 32c

Boiled Corned Beef..... 30c

Beef Leaf..... 29c

Ham Cheese..... 14c

Bacon..... 14c

Pressured Ham..... 16c

Bologna..... 12 1/2c

Frankforts (West German)..... 15c

Fresh Pork Sausages..... 15c

Pork Pâté..... 12c

Unsalted Bacon..... 12c

English Sugar Cured Bacon..... 30c

German Liverwurst..... 35c

German Tournay..... 35c

German Frankfurts..... 35c

English Ham Bacon..... 30c

Pickled Pig's Foot..... 10c lb.

Pickled Tripe..... 18c lb.

German Knockwurst..... 15c

Boiled Beef Tongue..... 50c

Saunders' Tomato Sausage..... 35c

Saunders' Bacon Sausage..... 35c

(Cured Made)..... 35c

## TEA AND COFFEE

SPECIAL—With 1-2 lb. Salada Tea

—5 lbs. Sugar..... 18c

SPECIAL—A Christmas package—

3 lb. can Tetley Tea..... \$1.85

A very good Formosa Oolong Tea,

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Ridgways Tea—All blends,

25c 1/4 lb.

Avondale Coffee, regular 35c qual-

ity, only..... 30c lb.

Silver Coffee..... 25c lb.

Yours Truly Coffee..... 25c lb.

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Sugar for..... 3 1-2c lb.

With every pound of Bill Grade Tea

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## FRESH FISH

Large Mackerel, 1 1-2 lbs. to 2 lbs., nice and fresh, each	10c and 15c
Shore Haddock, fresh caught, lb.....	4c, 6c
Fancy Fresh Silver Salmon, lb.....	10c
Sword Fish, extra fancy, sliced from best parts, lb.	12 1-2c
Fresh Herring, 1 lb. size.....	4c each, 3 for 10c
Oysters.....	35c qt.
Clams.....	25c qt.
Cod Fish.....	6c lb.
Butter Fish.....	7c lb.
Fresh Flounders.....	5c
Halibut.....	12 1-2c lb.
Smelts.....	7c lb., 4 lbs. 25c

## VEGETABLES

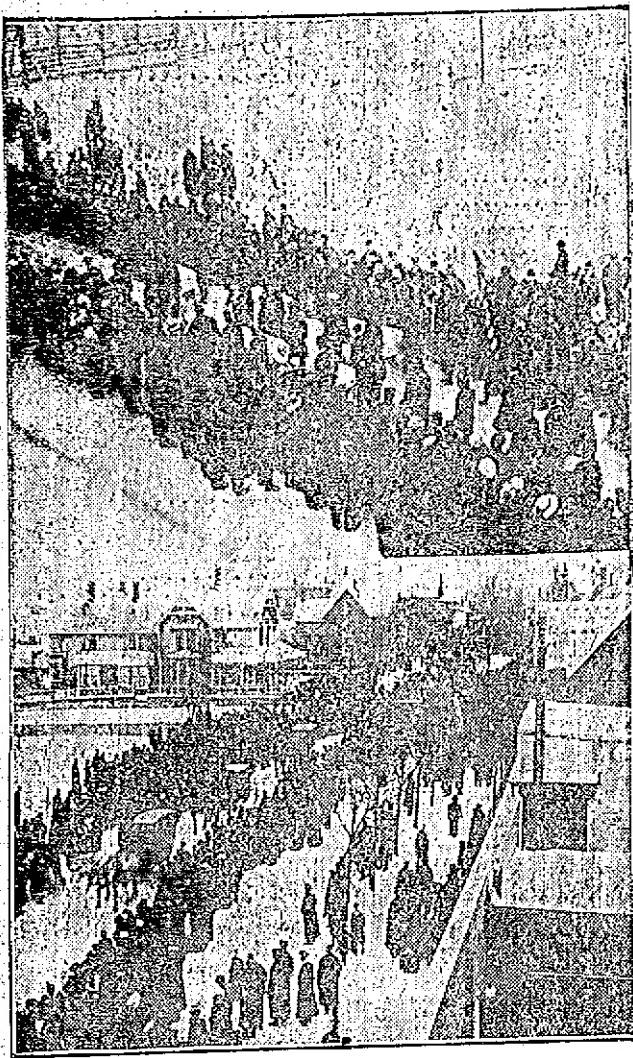
New Potatoes, extra quality and all sound, 18c Pk.	
Celery, Boston Market... 14c	
Lettuce..... 3 for 10c	
Cabbage..... 2 1-2c lb.	
Fresh Spinach..... 15c pk.	
Beets..... 3c lb.	
Native Carrots... 3 lbs. for 5c	
Parsnips..... 3c lb.	
New Spanish Onions..... 3 lbs. for 10c	
Onions..... 30c pk.	
Pickling Onions..... 20c pk.	
Cranberries..... 7c qt.	
Turnips..... 2c lb.	
Apples..... 35c pk.	

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## SCENES AT FUNERALS OF VICTIMS OF CHRISTMAS HORROR AT CALUMET



CALUMET, Mich., Jan. 1.—The laboring settlement here is slowly recovering from the shock caused by the terrible accident on Christmas eve, when 72 men, women and children were crushed to death in a panic at the funerals of some of victims.

## TO GIVE UP B.&M. SEC. BRYAN HOST

The New Haven Road Will Surrender Holdings in Boston

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Published reports of a plan of the New Haven road's relinquishment of the Boston & Maine are not given official confirmation at the department of justice, but some other officials in touch with the negotiations express the view that the proposal as outlined is substantially correct.

The dissolution of the Boston & Maine merger with the New Haven was one of the chief points of attack in the Interstate commerce commission's report of its exhaustive investigation into the financial affairs of the New England lines and it is known that the department of justice has been working generally along the lines of that report. The traffic arrangement with the Boston & Albany was another point.

Chairman Elliott of the New Haven board will confer with Attorney General McReynolds Monday to continue the effort to bring the New Haven organization into harmony with the Sherman law without a long court fight.

It is generally believed here that a plan embodying the elimination of the features which the government holds to be most objectionable and which has been under consideration by the New Haven directors for some time will be taken up for some definite action.

### CONSIDERING OTHER PLANS

BOSTON, Jan. 1.—The plan for the separation of the Boston & Maine railroad from the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad through the formation of a temporary holding company to take the stock of the former company now held by the New Haven, is only one of several plans under consideration, according to a statement issued today by the New Haven officials. They believe that there is a good chance for arriving at some solution of the difficult problem and that it will be in the interest of the whole situation.

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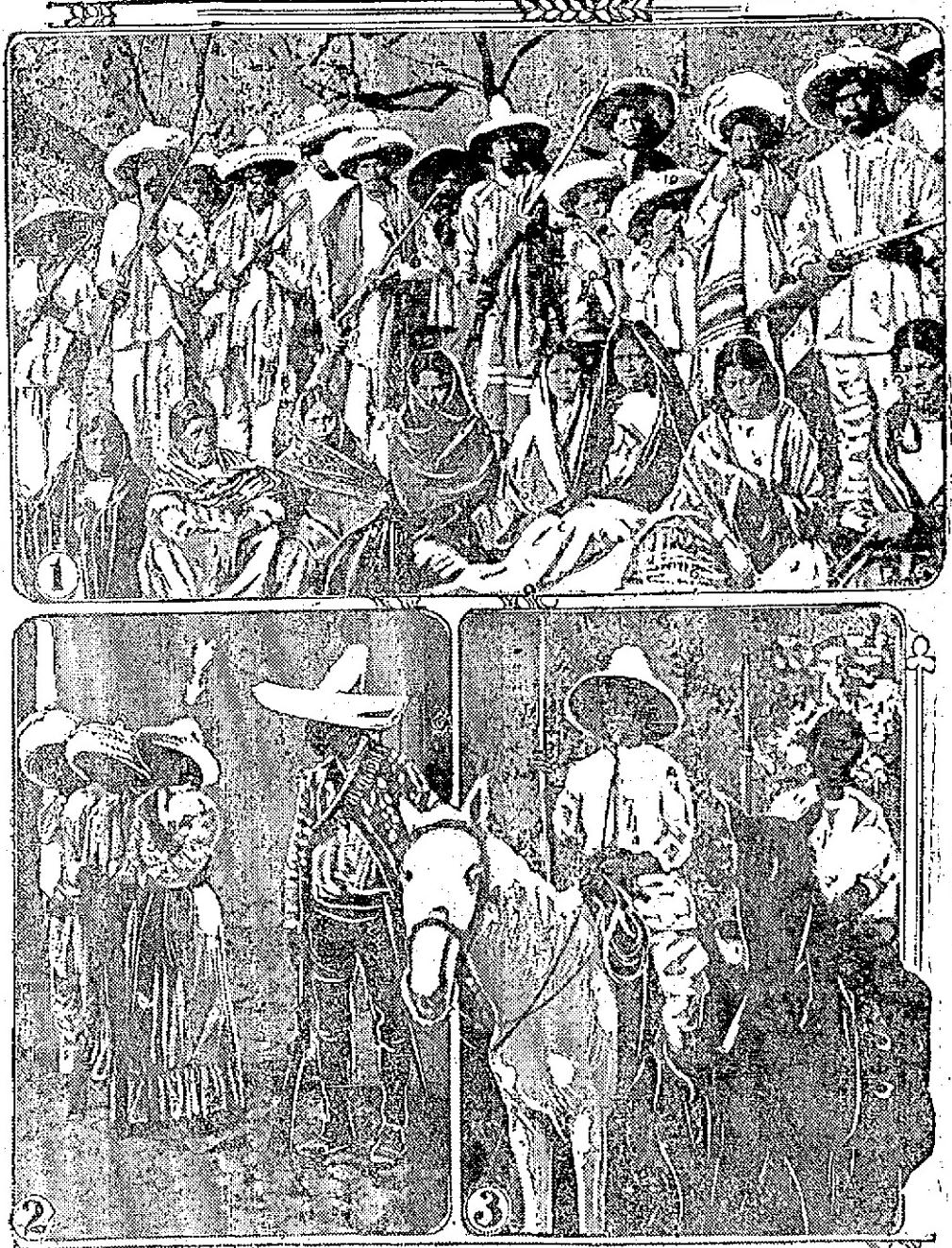
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## DOG HAD RABIES

Report on Examination  
of Canine Killed in  
Centralville

Word was received at the office of the Humane society here today that the head of the dog which was shot by an officer of the society in Centralville a short time ago showed unmistakable signs of rabies.

The head was examined in Boston and the report sent in to Dr. Sherman. Two cows which were in the field where the rabid canine was killed, were ordered quarantined today pending an examination.

WILL SUPPORT LAKE

He Promised Fitchburg Men That City Will Have Strong Team in the New England League.

FITCHBURG, Jan. 1.—Fred Lake, manager of the Fitchburg team in the New England league next season, conferred with several prominent officials yesterday in regard to plans. Marcus A. Coolidge, H. D. Redfern, secretary of the association, and Thomas Sellers met him, and the party made a tour of the city looking for sites for a park. The grounds at the driving park, offered free to Mr. Lake, were looked over, and he was impressed with the opportunities to make the park one of the best in New England.

Mr. Murphy made a second appeal to the mayor and branded Mr. Brown's utterances as a "trade of hypocrisy." It really looked as if something was about to happen and the mayor proceeded to quell the disturbance.

Mr. Murphy was finally allowed to speak and he fired back shot after shot at Mr. Brown. He branded all that Mr. Brown had said as untrue, declaring that there was not a particle

assault against Nuevo Laredo held by fédérals this forenoon. Red Cross workers reported they had found over 200 dead with many wounded and that the loss of life would run much higher.

Use of machine guns on both sides accounted for many deaths. The first onslaught was indeterminate, the constitutionalists retiring about 9 o'clock but promising to renew the battle probably this afternoon.

STEAMER ARRIVES

TIJUANA ISLAND, Australia, Jan. 1.—The steamer Tasman arrived here today from the gulf of Papua, where she had been stranded for several days on bramble cay reef. All on board were well.

REV. LOUIS ZAHNER DEAD  
ADAMS, Jan. 1.—Rev. Louis Zahner, D. D., rector of St. Mark's Episcopal church for 23 years, died yesterday. At the time of the election of Rev. Thomas Davies as bishop of the Springfield diocese, Dr. Zahner was prominent as a candidate.

### BURNED TO DEATH

PALI RIVER, Jan. 1.—While her parents were at work in the mill yesterday, Armossi Berbard, 16, of 803 King Phillip street, was left to care for his infant sister. Armossi's dress caught fire from the kitchen stove and was so horribly burned that she died early today at St. Anne's hospital.

LAREDO, Texas, Jan. 1.—Mexican constitutionalists directed a terrific

assault against Nuevo Laredo held by fédérals this forenoon. Red Cross workers reported they had found over 200 dead with many wounded and that the loss of life would run much higher.

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wolver, bears, and other animals, are killed off by forest officers.

## Game Protection

In connection with the grazing work, the forests serve to protect game, and the Wichita forest, with its buffalo herd, is one of the show places of Oklahoma. During the year the service cooperated with the biological survey in placing over two hundred elk on various national forests. A large number of streams were stocked with trout fry.

## Claims on National Forests

A large part of the report is devoted to a discussion of various kinds of claims under which title to land within the forests is sought. Nearly a thousand homesteads were taken up under a special act which provides for opening to settlement land suitable for agriculture. The report states, however, that some old homestead claims were instituted for the purpose of securing timber, and the same is still true of some mining claims.

"As attempted frauds under the mining laws are usually resorted to by interests in no way associated with mining, similarly the vast majority of homestead frauds are not chargeable to practical farming; but the appeal to popular prejudice has been made in the name of the mining industry and in the name of the farmers of the country."

## Mining Claims

"The mining laws," Mr. Graves says, "afford the greatest cloak for land frauds in the national forests, and fraudulent mining claims are initiated by men and interests having no connection whatever with the mining industry." The mining laws, for example, have been used to cover townsites and timber claims, to secure farms and ranches, to secure mineral springs, sites for saloons, water-power sites, and stock watering places.

It has often been asserted that the national forests have operated as a bar to legitimate mining development. Figures collected in Colorado during the past year show that, if anything, there is more activity in prospecting on the national forests than outside.

"As with the steel industry, the proper relations of the forest service with the mining industry should be cooperative."

## Classifying Lands

One of the largest tasks of the service during the past year has been the classification of lands within the national forests in respect to their highest future use. This work was undertaken during 1913 on a more comprehensive scale than ever before, because there was specific appropriation for the purpose. Large areas are being classified where the amount of land classifyable for agriculture warrants its being taken out of the forests, and it also takes care of areas on which detailed classification will disclose small areas suitable for agricultural development within the forests.

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## Was Here For A Day

Now W. S. Messick, former congressman from the 10th Michigan district, "killed" a deer that had been caused to be a mystery, for "all" has confessed.

Mr. Messick wandered away from camp and could not find his way back. Finally he came across two Swedes, having a large dog.

"I'll give you \$10 for that deer," said Messick.

"We take it," said the nimrods in chorus.

They took it and Messick took the dog. Then he remembered he was broke. Quicker producing paper, he wrote a check telling the Swedes they could cash it at the nearest bank.

So Mr. Messick was the hero. The deer was hung up as the first in camp, and the former senator was complimented on his skill—until next day. Then appeared two Swedes.

"No good," they said, waving Me-

ssick's formidable check.

Then they cut down the doe and lunged it away.

But Mr. Messick is a hero.—Detroit Free Press.

## Water Power Development

The development of water power upon the national forests increased rapidly during the year, particularly in California. It is the purpose of the service, to encourage power development in every possible way, while safeguarding the interests of the public.

The minimum output from the forests is nearly 800 thousand horsepower.

Regulations now in force aim to safeguard the interests of the public, prevent speculative holding of power sites, provide for complete and proper development and continuous operation, secure a return to the government for the privilege granted; provide a means by which states and municipalities may

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